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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

To His Excellency, Hon. Sidney J. Catts, Governor of Florida:

SIR: In accordance with the law under which the State Geological Survey is established. I submit, herewith, my annual report. During the twelve years that it has been my privilege to serve as State Geologist of Florida, there has been published by this Department, including the present report, twelve volumes on the Geology and resources of the State, two bulletins on the special subjects of Water Supply and Public Roads, and nine shorter bulletins on various subjects; a total amounting to approximately 3,000 printed pages. In addition, there has been issued a general geological map of the State and several maps in moderate detail for various parts of the State. It has been the object in these reports and maps to present information of permanent value in the future development of the State, and although the edition of each report issued has necessarily been limited, the reports have found a place in public and other libraries to such an extent as to insure their being permanently accessible to those who are interested in the development of the resources of the State.

Permit me to express in this connection, my appreciation of the uniform courtesy that has been extended to me by you as Governor, and from your office. A similar acknowledgment is due the other Departments of the State with which this Department is more or less closely associated, as well as to the many citizens of the State who have taken an active interest in and have furthered the work of this Department. With the completion of this report I am presenting my resignation as State Geologist of Florida.

Very respectfully,

E. H. Sellards, State Geologist.

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PUBLICATIONS ISSUED BY THE STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

The following is a list of the publications issued by the State Geological Survey since its organization:

First Annual Report, 1908, 114 pp., 6 pls.

Second Annual Report, 1909, 299 pp., 5 text figures and one map.

Third Annual Report, 1910, 397 pp., 28 pls., 30 text figures.

Fourth Annual Report, 1912, 175 pp., 16 pls., 15 text figures, one map.

Fifth Annual Report, 1913, 306 pp., 14 pls., 17 text figures, two maps.

Sixth Annual Report, 1914, 451 pp., 90 figures, one map.

Seventh Annual Report, 1915, 342 pp., 80 figures, four maps.

Eighth Annual Report, 1916, 168 pp., 31 pls., 14 text figures.

Ninth Annual Report, 1917, 151 pp., 8 pls., 13 text figures, two maps.

Tenth and Eleventh Annual Reports, 1918, 130 pp., 4 pls., 9 text figures, one map.

Twelfth Annual Report (this volume), 1919.

Bulletin No. 1. The Underground Water Supply of Central Florida, 1908, 103 pp., 6 pls., 6 text figures.

Bulletin No. 2. Roads and Road Materials of Florida, 1911, 31 pp., 4 pls.

Press Bull. No. 1. The Extinct Land Animals of Florida, February 6, 1913. Press Bull. No. 2. Production of Phosphate Rock in Florida during 1912,

March 12, 1913.

Press Bull. No. 3. Summary of Papers Presented by the State Geologist at the Atlanta Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, December 31, 1913.

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Press Bull. No. 9. Survey of Mineral Resources, May 10, 1918.

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TWELFTH ANNUAL ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

EXPENDITURES OF THE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1918.

The total appropriation for the State Geological Survey is \$7,500 per annum. No part of this fund is handled direct by the State Geologist, as all Survey accounts are paid upon warrants drawn upon the Treasurer by the Comptroller as per itemized statements approved by the Governor. The original of all bills and the itemized statements of all expense accounts are on file in the office of the Comptroller. Duplicate copies of the same are on file in the office of the State Geologist. The warrants when paid are on file in the office of the State Treasurer. A list of the warrants issued from January 1 to June 30, 1918, amounting to \$3,038.44, was given in the Eleventh Annual Report.

LIST OF WARRANTS ISSUED FROM JULY I TO DECEMBER 31, 1918

JULY, 1918. Herman Gunter, assistant, salary for July, 1918 _____\$ 150.00 Lila B. Robertson, services 35.00 Alex. Quarterman, services ______ 9.00 Ed Lomas, janitor services 10.00 Maurice Joyce Engraving Company _____ 98.45 Wrigley Engraving Company _____ 7.50 T. J. Appleyard, printing _____ 8.00 Sydney Prentice, drawings ______ 20.00 H. & W. B. Drew Company, supplies 2.64 Southern Express Company _____ 13.48 AUGUST, 1918. E. H. Sellards, State Geologist, salary for July-August, 1918_____ 421.20 Herman Gunter, assistant, salary for August, 1918 _____ 150.00 Lila B. Robertson, services _____ 13.28 V. M. Nicholls, copying 1917 mineral production _____ 7.71 Ed Lomas, janitor services _____ 10,00 Seaboard Air Line Railway Company, freight _____ 7.11 E. O. Painter Printing Company 499.16 American Railway Express Company _____ 1.00

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SEPTEMBER, 1918. Herman Gunter, assistant, salary for September, 1918 Fred Collins, janitor services	150.00
OCTOBER, 1918.	
Herman Gunter, assistant, salary for October, 1918	150.00
Fred Collins, janitor servicesA. N. Marquis & Company	10.00 5.50
American Railway Express Company	3.11
NOVEMBER, 1918. Herman Gunter, assistant, salary for November, 1918 Fred Collins, janitor services	
DECEMBER, 1918.	
Herman Gunter, assistant, salary for December, 1918	150.00
Herman Gunter, assistant, expenses for December, 1918	23.35
Fred Collins, janitor services	10.00
American Journal of Science, subscription	6.00 400.00
J. 11. Ousiman	400.00
Total expenditures from July 1 to December 31, 1918	2,543.93
Total expenditures for year ending December 31, 1918	5,582.37

LITERATURE RELATING TO HUMAN REMAINS AND ARTIFACTS AT VERO, FLORIDA

By E. H. SELLARDS.

In the July, 1916, issue of this journal the writer announced the discovery of human remains and artifacts in association with extinct vertebrates at Vero, Florida. Since that time there has accumulated a very considerable literature relating to the locality and to the discoveries. Among papers on this subject recently issued is a memoir by Dr. Ales Hrdlicka which is included in Bulletin 66 of the United States Bureau of American Ethnology (pp. 23-65, 1918).

In this memoir Dr. Hrdlicka maintains the hypothesis previously proposed by him that the human remains and artifacts found at Vero represent burials by human agency. Aside from adhering to this hopelessly inadequate hypothesis, the paper is remarkable for what it omits rather than for what it contains. Papers by a number of geologists and anthropologists had been published previous to the final revision of this memoir, as is indicated by a statement found on page 65 of the paper, but to the contents of these publications there is no adequate reference. The hypothesis proposed by Dr. R. T. Chamberlain, which is in accord neither with that of Dr. Hrdlicka nor with that of the present writer, receives not so much as mention. The investigations of Dr. O. P. Hay, which support the Pleistocene age of the human remains, is only casually referred to. The observations of Dr. G. G. MacCurdy, which in no way support the burial hypothesis are not mentioned. It might have been supposed that the observations and conclusions of a specialist in paleobotany would have been of interest, since an important part of the evidence in this instance rests with the fossil plants. Nevertheless the fact that Professor E. W. Berry has stated that he has personally observed artifacts in place in these deposits lying beneath a late Pleistocene flora under conditions such that they could not possibly have been introduced by human agency is singularly passed over. In fact the brief reference to

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Berry's paper fails to indicate that in addition to a description of the fossil plants, he has placed on record observations relating to the place of the human relics in the deposits.

In the introductory paragraph of his "Critical Observations" Dr. Hrdlicka states that everything relating to human occupancy had been removed before anthropologists had an opportunity of visiting the locality. This is not in accordance with the facts, for, as everyone knows who has informed himself about the problem. the human artifacts have not all been removed, and anyone who is interested may yet see objects of human workmanship in place in this formation. Dr. Hrdlicka maintains that he has detected discrepancies in some of the writer's statements in regard to the measured thickness of parts of the section. Fortunately the problem does not rest on the writer's statements or observations alone, but on the observations of others as well. The student who is interested in the question of the age of the human remains found at this locality will do himself an injustice if he accepts this memoir by Dr. Hrdlicka as a fair presentation of the subject. Rather it will be necessary to consult the literature as a whole, and for the convenience of any who may be interested there are here included references to all the publications, so far as the writer is aware, that have appeared relating to the Vero deposits. The evidence both for and against the Pleistocene age of the human remains and artifacts has been fully stated in these papers. In the judgment of the writer it can not be successfully denied that at this locality there are found relics of human workmanship and human bones in association with and contemporaneous with a fauna and flora that elsewhere and heretofore have been considered Pleistocene.

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On reported Pleistocene human remains at Vero, Florida, by Thomas Wayland Vaughan, Journal of Geology, Vol. 25, pp. 40-42, January-February, 1917.

Preliminary Report on Finds of Supposedly Ancient Human Remains at Vero, Florida, by Ales Hrdlicka, Journal of Geology, Vol. 25, pp. 43-51, January-February, 1917.

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FOSSIL BEETLES FROM VERO, FLORIDA

By H. F. WICKHAM.*

In the interesting locality at Vero, Florida, now noted for the finds of human remains in association with those of Pleistocene mammals, several rather good specimens of insect fragments were found. All of the Coleopterous relics, most of them elytra, have been turned over to me by Dr. Sellards, for study, and form the basis of the following notes.

A specific account of the locality its geological history, stratification and fossils, will be found in an article by Dr. Sellards in the Eighth Annual Report of the Florida State Geological Survey, 1916, pp. 121-160. For the purpose of the present notes, it may be sufficient to say that the insects were found in both of the strata yielding human bones and implements, and in association with remains of the Columbian elephant, the American mastodon and other extinct mammals. The Coleoptera seem worth recording, partly because they throw some light on the probable climatic and ecological conditions at the time of their deposit, and partly because we may gather from them some ideas as to the relative rapidity of specific or subspecific change.

Two conclusions seem to be warranted after a study of the beetle fragments. The first is that there is nothing to indicate any particular difference in climatic conditions in Florida then and now, since the assemblage of genera is the same as one might expect to find in a stream valley there today. The nearest relatives of the species are still characteristic members of the Floridian fauna and many of them are apparently identical. Second, it seems evident that there has been some change in minor characters of sculpture, since it is not possible to match certain of the fossils exactly with modern forms. In view of the fact that other

^{*}This paper on Fossil Beetles and the one which precedes relating to the literature on the locality at Vero were published in the May issue of the American Journal of Science, 1919.

researches indicate that insect evolution has been extremely slow, so that many species, even as old as the Tertiaries, are rather difficult to discriminate from their modern allies, no more marked divergence would be anticipated.

Besides a few small fragments that could not be determined, the following species are contained in the collections:

FAMILY CARABIDÆ

Diplochila laticollis Lec. Represented by a left elytron, complete except that the apex is slightly twisted and broken. In some lights the discal striæ are barely visibly punctate. There are no characters to differentiate this from a recent Iowa specimen. The species still occurs in Florida. Found in stratum 3.

Diplochila major Lec. Approximately the basal half of a right elytron is present. It shows no particular deviation from modern examples taken in Iowa, Indiana and Louisiana. Still occurs in Florida. Found in stratum 3.

Chlaenius aestivus Say. A right elytron is before me, lacking a small part of the scutellar region and all of the tip. Part of the pubescence is still preserved near the side. Compared with recent specimens from Lake City, Florida, the fossil is darker, perhaps from discoloration, and the interstitial punctuation is a little more scabrous or mucronate. It is still a rather abundant Florida insect. Found in stratum 3.

Chlaenius tricolor Dej. A left elytron, lacking the tip, seems to go here very well. An abundant insect in the eastern United States, including Florida. From stratum 3.

Chlaenius sp. A pronotum, simply labelled Vero, Florida, is different in some respects from any modern Chlænius known to me. It may, however, belong to one of the southern species with which I am unacquainted.

Oodes amaroides Dej. An entire elytron, labelled like the preceding, is apparently just like a modern specimen from Indiana. It still occurs in Florida.

FAMILY SCARABŒIDŒ

Copris inemarginatus Blatchley. Represented by somewhat more than the basal half of a left elytron and a smaller curled fragment, taken from stratum 2, north bank, 370 feet west of the

bridge. Compared with a recent Iowa specimen of *Copris anaglypticus* Say, the fossil has narrower and sharper striæ with deeper crenate punctures giving the sculpture a rougher appearance. The interstrial ridges in the fossil are barely visibly punctured (under a gx lens) while in the Iowa example this punctuation is very distinct, though fine and sparse. However, in this latter feature the fossil is matched by a specimen of *C. inemarginatus* Blatchley, from Gainesville, Florida, kindly loaned me by Professor Watson, and the determination is made accordingly.

Strategus antaeus Fabr. From stratum 3 comes a left hind tibia which is shorter and relatively stouter than that of recent specimens from Florida and Massachusetts. The fossil is also darker, subopaque, the upper ridge more sinuate and the surface between this and the second ridge much more strongly and deeply punctuate. Since a recent individual from Georgia approaches the fossil closely in ridge structure and punctuation, I do not like to propose a new name.

University of Iowa, Iowa City.



ELEVATIONS IN FLORIDA.

HERMAN GUNTER

The following list of elevations in Florida is a revision of a list published in the Fifth Annual Report of the Florida Geological Survey, pages 81-101, 1913, by E. H. Sellards. The present list, however, is very much enlarged mainly by the addition of the results of spirit leveling in Florida by the United States Geological Survey and by the addition of elevations as determined by the various railroads since the former list was published.

The elevations from the railroad surveys are either taken direct from the profiles, or given as submitted to the Florida Geological Survey through the courtesy of the Chief Engineer of the different railroads, or as published in the 1913 list as taken from the Dictionary of Altitudes, Bulletin 274, United States Geological Survey. The precise levels which have been determined by the United States Geological Survey and by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey were obtained from Bulletin 516 of the United States Geological Survey and through correspondence with the Superintendent of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, Washington, D. C. The levels made by the United States Army Engineers are obtained from Preliminary Survey for a Ship Canal from the St. Marys River to the Gulf of Mexico, made in 1879; Survey of the St. Johns River to Charlotte Harbor, by way of Lake Tohopekaliga, for purpose of steamboat communication, Appendix I, Annual Report of Chief of Engineers, 1882; Survey of the Kissimmee River, Florida, and connecting lakes and canals flowing into Lake Okeechobee, thence down the Caloosahatchee River to the Gulf of Mexico 1899; and two levels on the Apalachicola River from correspondence with the Superintendent of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey. The levels by the State Drainage Commission are from a map of the Everglades district issued in 1913.

The abbreviations used in giving the authority for the elevations are as follows: U. S. G. S. (United States Geological Survey); U. S. C. & G. S. (United States Coast and Geodetic Survey)

vey); U. S. Army Engrs., (United States Army Engineers); Fla. State Engrs., (Engineers of the Florida State Drainage Commission); A. N. R. R. (Apalachicola Northern Railroad); A. & St. A. B. Ry. (Atlanta and St. Andrews Bay Railway); A. C. L. R. R. (Atlantic Coast Line Railroad); C. H. & N. Ry. (Charlotte Harbor and Northern Railway); F. E. C. Ry. (Florida East Coast Railway); G. F. & A. Ry. (Georgia, Florida and Alabama Railway); G. S. & F. Ry. (Georgia Southern and Florida Railway); L. & N. R. (Louisville and Nashville Railroad); M. & B. R. R. (Marianna and Blountstown Railroad); S. A. L. Ry. (Seaboard Air Line Railway); F. Ry. (Florida Railway); Fellsmere R. R. (Fellsmere Railroad). The elevation given for the towns, unless otherwise stated, is that of the depot of the railroad cited as authority.

Those elevations in the tabulated list preceded by an asterisk (*) are subject to minor corrections by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.

It is with due appreciation that acknowledgment is here made of the uniform courteous co-operation of the Engineering Departments of the several railroads operating in Florida. In supplying the Florida Geological Survey with blue prints of their profiles, and where blue prints could not be furnished in allowing access to the profiles and other records, and further in the giving of their time in supplying a list of elevations along their railway lines, all this has materially aided the Survey in its compilation work and added completeness to the list here published.

TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS.

No detailed topographic map of Florida has so far been issued. The United States Geological Survey has, however, published several topographic maps of quadrangles in certain portions of the State. Much of the recent mapping has been done in co-operation with the War Department, Corps of Engineers of the United States Army. The precise levels determined within several of the quadrangles were published in Bulletin 516 of the United States Geological Survey and are herewith republished as taken from that Bulletin. However, for many of the areas more re-

Elevation

cently surveyed the precise levels, with a detailed description of the bench marks, are not yet available. Elevations taken from these sheets are given only to the nearest foot as shown on the map from which they were obtained, credit being made to the United States Geological Survey.

Maps of the following quadrangles, lying wholly or partly in Florida, have been surveyed up to January 1, 1919. For an index map showing the location of the published topographic sheets and for all information relative to the maps, application should be made to The Director, United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.:

Arredondo
Boulogne
Cambon
Citra
Dinner Island
Dunnellon
Folkston
Green Cove Springs
Hague
Hawthorn
Hilliard
Interlachen
Jacksonville
Kingsland

Lawtey
Macclenny
Mayport
Moniac
Middleburg
Ocala
Orange Park
Palatka
Palm Valley
Panasoffkee
Starke
Tsala Apopka
Welaka
Williston

LIST OF ELEVATIONS IN FLORIDA.

LOCALITY.	AUTHORITY. Above Sea
	(feet)
Abbott	S. A. L. Ry110
Agnew	U. S. G. S 70
Alachua,, S. A. L. depot	U. S. G. S 60
Albion, S. A. L. depot	U. S. G. S 81
Albion, in foundation of small new chimney on we	st
side of trame building north of railroad station	
bottom of a square cut in top of brick (C. & G.	S
"Albion")	U. S. C. & G S 88.578
Allapaha River, Hamilton County, between mile pos	•
.172 and 173	G. S. & F. Ry100
Alligator Creek, Hamilton County, between mile pos	ts
176 and 177	G. S. & F. Ry 98
Alligator Lake, Osceola County	U. S. Army
	Engrs., 1882 71

LOCALITY. AUTHORITY. Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Altamonte SpringsA, C. L. R. RIOI
AltschuleG, F. & A. Ry209.4
AndrewsU. S. G. S 94
AnkonaF. E. C. Ry 33
AnthonyS. A. L. Ry 77
ApalachicolaA. N. R. R 5
ApopkaS. A. L. Ry150
ApopkaA. C. L. R. R125.2
ArcadiaA. C. L. R. R 56
Arch CreekF. E. C. Ry 12.4
Arch Creek, Dade County, between mile posts 356 and
357F. E. C. Ry 10.0
Archer, 21 meters west and 9 meters south of station
of Seaboard Air Line Railway, in line with tele-
graph polesU. S. C. & G. S 82.775
Archer, in brick chimney on south side of Mr. C. W.
Banknight's house, a short distance north of track
and opposite freight depot of Seaboard Air Line
Ry., in ninth course above ground and in second
brick from southwest corner of chimney, about
one-fourth inch inside outer surface of brick;
intersection of cross in end of copper bolt (C. &
G. S. "Archer")U. S. C. & G. S. 85.070
Archer, about 3 miles west of, near fourth telegraph
pole west of mile post 116, 9 meters north of Sea- board Air Line Railway tracksU. S. C. & G. S100.594
Archer, 3.2 miles northeast of, near mile post 110, in
line with telegraph poles, 75 meters west of sign
"Station one mile", 9 meters west of Seaboard
Air Line Railway tracksU. S. C. & G. S. 84.186
ArgyleL. & N. R. R. 254.8
ArmourA, C. L. R, R,70
Armstrong F. E. C. Ry 38.0
Arnait L. & N. R. R252.3
ArranG. F. & A. Ry 42.5
Arredondo, S. A. L. depotU. S. G. S 89
Arredondo, corner of orchard of D. G. Harvard, 0.9
meter from nearest corner post; bottom of a
square cut in top of a piece of artificial stone 8
by 14 inches, buried with its upper surface 10
inches beneath surface of ground, and lettered
"U. S. C. & G. S. B. M." (C. & G. S. "U")U. S. C. & G. S 88.818
AshmoreG. F. & A. Ry 47.5

LOCALITY.	AUT	HORIT	ry. At	levation ove Sea feet).
Astor	- A. (C. L. R	R. R	. 15
Atlantic	_S. A	L. L. 1	R. R	125
Atlantic Beach	_F. I	E. C.	Ry	13.8
Auburndale	_A. (. L. R	. R	-167
Aucilla				
Aucilla River, west end of bridge	_S. A	. L. I	Ry	- 793
Aucilla, about 1/2 mile east of, at the first telegraph				
pole east of a cut; 26 feet south of Seaboard				
Air Line Railway tracks	_U. S	. C. &	G. S.	- 95.374
Aucilla, 244 feet west of the Seaboard Air Line Rail	-			
way station, just outside the fence corner wes	t			
of the first road west of the station. (U. S. G. S	S			
Prim. Trav. Sta.)	_U. S	. C. &	G. S.	82.592
Aucilla, about 3 miles west of, at mile post 134; 26 fee	t			
north of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks	_U. S	. C. &	G. S	. 84.478
Aucilla, about 5 miles west of, at mile post 136; 2				
feet north of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks _				
Aurantia	-F. I	E. C. 1	Ry	. 28
Avoca	_G. S	. & F.	. Ry	.120
Aycock				
Bakers Mill	_A. (C. L. I	R. R	.137
Baldwin				
Baldwin, 40 meters southwest of station, 12 meters	s			
north of south end of station shed, midway be	-			
tween railway tracks, near a telegraph pole	.U. S	. C. &	G. S	86.627
Baldwin, about 3½ miles west of, about ½ mile wes	t			
of mile post "J22", 8 meters north of the Sea	-			
board Air Line Railway tracks, in line with tele				
graph poles. U. S. C. & G. S.				
Barberville	.A. (. L. F	R. R	44
Barnett	.A. (. L. I	R. R	.135
Barth	L. &	N. F	R. R	36.8
Bartow	.A. (. L. F	R. R	115
Baxter				
Baxter	.U. S	6. G.	S	.117
Bayard		C. C. 1	Ry	25.5
Bayard, about 15 meters north of the station, 10				
meters east of Florida East Coast Railway tracks	.U. S	. C. &	G. S	25.079
Bayard, about 3 miles south of, I meter from mile				
post "Jax 18" 10 meters west of Florida East Coas				
Railway tracks	.U. S	. C. &	G. S	21.234
Baywood	G. S	. & F.	. Ry	157
Bear Head	.L. &	N. F	R. R	268.8

LOCALITY.					Abo	evation ove Sea leet).	a
Bellair	A.	C.	L.	R.	R	49	
Belleview	\A	C.	L.	R.	R	87	
Benson							
Beverly							
Big Pine							
Big Pottsburg Creek, Duval County, between mile pos			٠.				
6 and 7 on the Mayport branch		·F	C	Rv		т8.4	
Big Snake Creek, Dade County, between mile pos			٥.	5			
353 and 354		E	Ć	Rv		0.2	
Biscayne							
Bithlo							
Black Creek							
Black Point							
Black Sink Prairie							
Blake							
Blanton							
Blountstown Landing, end of railroad track							
Bluff Springs							
Boardman, A. C. L. depot							
Bocaratone					•	17.9	
Boden's				-			ç
n.t.		Eng	rs.,	ΙĊ	903	14	
Bohemia	L.	& .	N	K. 1	K	4.3	
Bonaventure							
Bonifay		& .	Ν.	K. 1	K	120.8	
Bostwick, 150 feet west of, southwest corner of st							
tion, in northwest corner of crossroads, at out							
corner of fence; iron post stamped "34 Prin		_	_				
Trav. Sta. No. 23"		S.	C. (& G	. S	34.372	2
Bostwick, 1.3 miles west of, 50 feet southwest of roa							
forks to northwest, about 600 feet east of old trar							
way grade; nail in root of pine tree marked "52.5"		S.	C. (& G	. S	52.49	
Bostwick, 2.9 miles west of, about 0.2 miles west							
creek, 15 feet southeast of culvert; nail in root							
small cypress tree, marked "36.3"	U	S.	C.	& G	. S	36.21	
Bostwick, 3.4 miles west of, in southeast corner	of						
crossroads, about 600 feet east of one bridge ov	er						
Sims Creek, and about 400 feet north of anoth							
over same creek; iron post stamped "37 Prin							
Trav. Sta. No. 22"		S.	C. a	& G	. S	36.706	5
Bostwick, 4.7 miles west of, at top of hill, 500 fe							
southwest of house, 10 feet north of road; na							
in root of small black oak tree, marked "61.7" -		S.	C. 8	& G	. S	61.65	
		~.					

LOCALITY.	AUTHORITY. Above Sea (feet).
Bostwick, 5.7 miles west of, in angle of road forks northwest; nail in root of small red oak transfed "84"	to ee,
Bostwick, 6.2 miles west of, in northeast corner crossroad, at east corner of Bannerville scholable; iron post stamped "89 Prim. Trav. S	of ool *
No. 21"Bostwick, 1.1 miles east of, 400 feet west of secon class road forks to south, 150 feet west of fer corner, 10 feet north of road; nail in root	id- ace
large pine stump, marked "24.7" (unchecked elev. Bostwick, 2 miles east of, 6 feet east of T road we 100 feet east of creek crossing; iron post stamp	est, ed
"Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 24" (unchecked elev.) Bostwick, 7.2 miles west of, in southwest corner crossroads, about 1.200 feet east of creek cross	of
ing; nail in root of red oak tree, marked "87.6" Bostwick, 8.7 miles west of, 400 feet northeast bridge over Sims Creek, 10 feet east of road; n	of
in root of large pine tree, marked "35.4" BoulogneBoulogne	U. S. C. & G. S 35.31 A. C. L. R. R 70
Bowden, 300 meters north of mile post "Jax 5", meters west of Florida East Coast Railway track	15 ks,
opposite cattle shuteBowesBowling Green	L. & N. R. R128
Boynton, drainage canal north of	F. E. C. Ry 14.5 F. E. C. Ry 13.5
Bradfordville, Leon County, maximum elevation top of hill about ½ mile north of, on Tallahasse Thomasville public road	ee-
BrandonBranford	S. A. L. Ry 74 A. C. L. R. R 43
Braswell, 130 feet northeast of the Seaboard Air Li Railway depot, near telegraph pole, about 160 fe north of main track	eet ·
Brent Bronson, 75 meters east of station, 10 meters south	L. & N. R. R 91.3 of
Seaboard Air Line Railway track nearly oppos the city hotel, near east end of siding Bronson, south side of brick chimney at west end	U S. C. & G. S 65.069
Mrs. L. E. Taylor's house, north of track a nearly opposite railroad station, ninth course about	nd

LOCALITY. AUTHO	RITY. Above Sea (feet).
ground, in second brick from southwest corner of	(reet).
chimney; intersection of cross in end of copper	
bolt: (C. & G. S. "W")U. S. C	C. & G. S 72.088
Bronson, Magnetic Station in the northwest corner of	
the school-house yard, about 70 meters northeast	
of the court houseU. S. C	C. & G. S 77.382
Bronson, about three miles southwest of, near second	_
telegraph pole southwest of mile post 125, near	
old saw mill; 10 meters north of Seaboard Air	
Line Railway tracks just south of a wagon road	
crossing trackU. S. C	
BrooklynG. S. &	
BrooksvilleA. C. I	
Briggsville F. E. C.	
BrycevilleU. S. (
Buena VistaF. E. (C. Ry 14.6
Buena Vista, northeast corner of railroad station plat-	
form, at center of artificial stone post 8 by 8	
inches in cross section and 3 feet long, projecting	
6 inches above the surface; square cut in center	° C C
marked "U. S." "B. M." (C. & G. S. "H"U. S. C	
Buffalo Bluff, railroad crossing; top of railU. S. C	. & G. S 15.8
Buffalo Bluff, 1,200 feet north of station, at end of switch, 10 feet west of railroad track, at north-	
east corner of base of signal tower; nut marked	
"15"U. S. C	& G S TO
Bull Creek, Osceola County, between mile posts 78	, & G. S 12
and 79 on the Okeechobee divisionF. E. C	Rv 650
BunnellF. E. C	
BurnellL & N.	
Burnett's LakeS. A. I	
BushnellS. A. I	Ry 75
CadillacA. C. I	
CaledoniaL. & N	
CallahanA. C. L	
CallahanU. S. C	
CalveniaA. C. L	
CambonA. C. L	. R. R 63
CambonU. S. (G. S 50
CampbellA. C. L	. R. R 75
CamptonL. & N	. R. R172
CandlerA. C. L	. R. R108
CantonmentL. & N.	. R. R142.3
CapitolaA. C. L.	. R. R 57

LOCALITY.	AUTHORITY. Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Carleton	- II. S. G. S 145
Carraway	
Caryville	
Cashens	
Causey	
Cedar Keys, southwest corner of carpenter's shop	
south end of D street; iron rod 6 feet long an	
I inch in diameter, with head 2 by 2 inches, drive	
in sand, with head a little below surface (C. & C	
S. "Tidal")	
Cedar Keys, "Bench mark is the under edge of the	ne
sill of the front window at the southeast corne	er
of the new concrete store, built in 1877 b	by
Thomas Barnes"; lower edge of window sill (
& G. S. "Perkins")	
Cedar Keys, north iron pier of Transit of Venu	
station, in surface of round pier 0.73 meter belo	
top; intersection of cross cut in south face of	
iron pier marked "U. S. B. M." (C. & G. S. "Y")	
Cedar Keys, in south side of south iron pier used a	
Transit of Venus station, rectangular opening i	
side of pier 0.10 meter wide and 0.15 meter high	
upper surface of bottom of square opening of	
iron pier marked "U. S. B. M." (C. & G. S. "Z")	-U. S. C. & G. S 13.300
Cedar Keys, leaded in south face of brick transit pie	
of Transit of Venus station, sixth course above	ve
ground, in second brick from southwest corner of	
pier; intersection of cross in end of a copper bo	
(C. & G. S. "Transit")	
Cedar Keys, about 4 miles east of, near third tele	e-
graph pole east of mile post 152, 6 meters nort	th
of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks	U. S. C. & G. S 8.688
Cedar Landing, water surface of Oklawaha River	r,
March 15, 1911	U. S. C. & G. S 10
Center Hill	A C I, R R or
Center Park	
Center Park	
Central Supply	
Century	
Chaffin	
Chaires	
Chaires, about 246 feet west of Seaboard Air Lin	-25. A. L. Ky 50.8
Railway station, 50 feet south of main track	U. S. C. & G. S 58.215

	HORITY.	Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Champaign, 2 meters east of mile post 115, 8 meters		
north of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracksU. S	S. C. & G.	S121.135
ChaseF. 1	E. C. Ry.	10.2
ChatmarA. (C. L. R. F	2 47.7
ChieflandA, (C. L. R. R	39.9
ChipcoA.	C. L. R.	R104
ChipleyL, &		
ChubbA. Chubb		
ChuluotaF.]		
ChumucklaL. &		
CitraA. (
Citronelle, A. C. L. depotU.		
City PointF.]		
ClarconaA. (
ClaroyL.		
Clarksville, Duval County, about 3/8 mile northwest of	x 11. 1C.	10.==2,59.5
on F. E. C. RyU.	9 G 9	22
*Clayno, northwest corner of house, 100 feet south-	S. G. S.	22
west of railroad crossing, 300 feet southeast of		
water tank; iron post stamped "155 Prim. Trav.		C
Sta. No. 74"U. S	5. C. & G	5153.517
*Clayno, I mile south of, 15 feet southwest of road		
forks to south; nail in root of large pine tree,		0 0
marked "149.7"U. S	s. C. & G	S148.19
*Clayno, 2.6 miles south of, 150 feet southeast of J. C.		
Padgett's mail box, 250 feet south of house, 25 feet		
south of road; nail in large pine treeU.	S. C. & G.	S160.33
*Clayno, 3.4 miles south of, in east corner of road		
crossing, 300 feet north of large white house; iron		1
post stamped "155 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 75"U. S		
ClearwaterA.		
ClermontA.		
ClevelandA.	C. L. R.	R 3
CocoaF. 1		
Cocoanut GroveF. 1	E. C. Ry.	13.0
ColegroveA.	C. L. R.	R125
ColineA.	N. R. R.	26
CollinsA.	N. R. R	158
ConantA.	C. L. R.	R 93
ConeA.	C. L. R.	R125
Cook's FerryU.		
·	ngrs., 19	03 14
CoquinaF. 1	E. C. Ry.	I7
CottondaleL. &		

LOCALITY.	AUTHORITY. Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Cottendale	_A. & ST. A. B. Rv134.3
Cowan	
Cow Creek, Volusia County, between mile posts 5 and	
6 on the Okeechobee division	
Cow Creek, Levy County	
Crane Creék, Brevard County, between mile posts 19	94
and 195	_F. E. C. Ry 21.5
Crawford	
Crawford	_U. S. G. S 84
Creighton	
Crestview	
Criglar	
Crooked Lake, Polk County	
Croom	Engrs., 1882132
Cross Bayou	
Crown Point	
Crystal River, A. C. L. depot	
Cypress	
*Cyril, 150 feet north of station, at railroad crossing	
joint of west rail, marked "159.8"	U. S. C. & G. S158.3
*Cyril, 2 miles southwest of, 18 feet southwest of roa	
10 feet south and southwest, respectively, of tw	
pine trees painted "U. S. B. M.", in large whi	
letters; iron post stamped "156 Prim Trav. St	
No. 77"*Cyril, 3.6 miles southeast of, 200 feet northeast	
small swamp, 6 feet north of road; nail in root	
pine tree located by primary traverse	
Dade City	
Dahoma	
Dania	
Danzig	
Daysville, 9 meters southwest of station and 9 meter	
west of Seaboard Air Line Railway track, ne	
telegraph pole, 5 meters north of public highway	
Daytona	
Deep Creek, St. Johns County, between mile posts	
and 53	
Deerfield	

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LOCALITY.	AU	THOR	ITY.	Abo	ve Sea
	_		Ċ		eet).
Deerfield, Hillsboro canal north of					
Deerhunt					
Deerland					_
DeFuniak Springs					
DeLand Junction					
Delespine					
Delph					
Delray					
Dinner Island, 55 feet north of switch point					
Dinsmore					
Dinsmore					
Doctors Inlet					
Drake					
Drifton					
Drifton, junction switch to Monticello		A. L.	Ry.	I	29.3
Drifton, about opposite end of Seaboard Air Li					
Railway station, near telegraph pole, 26 feet sou					
of track. (U. S. C. G. S. Prim. Trav. Sta.)		S. C.	& G.	S1	29.744
Drifton, about 9 miles west of, about 650 feet east					
mile post 144, near road crossing, 26 feet sou					
of Seaboard Air Line Railway track					
Duke					
Dunedin					
Dunnellon, A. C. L. depot	U.	S. G	. S		49
Dunns Creek, 1.5 miles west of, 25 feet southwest	of				
road forks to southeast; nail in root of pine tro	ee,				
marked "39.4"	U.	S. C.	& G.	S	39.62
Dupont					
Durbin	F.	E. C.	Ry.		61.2
Durbin, opposite the south end of the station she	ed,				
10 meters east of Florida East Coast Railw					
tracks	U.	S. C.	& G.	S	60.043
Dutton					
Duval, about 3.5 miles south of, 0.3 miles south of ra	il-			-	
way bridge No. 10A, opposite mile post 10, as	nd				
west of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks	U.	S. C.	& G.	S	16.939
Duval, opposite switch stand at south end of switch	ch,		-		
0.5 mile south of mile post 14, 25 meters east					
the Seaboard Air Line Railway	U.	S. C.	& G.	S	38.356
Dya1	A.	C. L.	R. 1	R	46
Dya1					47
Eagle Island	U.	S. A	my		
	I	Engrs.,	190	3	63

LOCALITY.	AUTHO	RITY.	Elevation Above Sea
Early Bird	SAT	. Rv.	85
East Aurantia			
East Mandarin			
East Mayport			
East Mims			
Eastport			
East Palatka			
East Palatka, front yard of residence of Mr. J. E.	.1. 12.		1/./
Gould, in top of an 8 by 8 by 18 inch marble post			
buried 16 inches in ground and lettered "U. S. B.		~	
M."; bottom of a square cut (C. & G. S. "I")	II S C	& G	S 16.846
Eau Gallie	U. S. C	R _v	10.540
Econlochatchee River, Seminole County, between mile	r, 15, C	J. 1Xy	19.5
posts 32 and 33 on the Okeechobee division	F F (7 - P.v	26.0
Eddy, Gadsden County			
Eddy, Baker County			
Eden			
Ethern Creek Present Courty between mile posts 700	A. C. 1	ے. K. I	K 90
Elbow Creek, Brevard County, between mile posts 190	P P (* D	
and 191		•	
Eldred			
Elkton			
Ellaville	S. A. 1	ے. Ky.۔	00.0
Ellaville, 20 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Rail-		0.0	G (
way station		. & G.	S 60.590
Ellaville, about 3 miles west of, at mile post 98, 8		0 0	C 06.
meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks		. & G.	S 84.704
Ellaville, about 6 miles west of, at mile post 101, 8		0 0	0 0
meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks			
Ellerbee			
Ellerslie		R. J	R118
Ellzey, in northeast corner of front yard of house			
occupied by J. A. Williams, south of track and west			
of railroad station; bottom of a square cut in top			
of an artificial stone post 8x8x36 inches, buried			
30 inches in the ground and lettered "U. S. C. &			
G. S. B. M." Post broken on top, Elevation	, Y		_
slightly lower than original B. M.	U.S.C	. & G.	S 25.377
Ellzey, 14 meters west of station, 100 meters east of			
mile post 136, 9 meters north of Seaboard Air Line			19
Railway track			
Enterprise			26
Enterprise	U. S. A	\rmy	
	Engr	s., 190	3 17

feet in diamater at base and about seven inches

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AUTHORITY. Above Sea (feet).

at top. The cap is about flush with surface of ground and is located near southwest corner of Front and DeSoto Sts. It is about 25 feet south of center line of DeSoto St. and about 100 feet east of the waters edge. It is located between R. R. tracks, the nearest track to the west being 43 feet and the nearest to the eastward being 35 feet. It is 20 feet northerly from the center of the north side of an old frame-building formerly used as the office of the Chief Carpenter of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, and is 79.5 feet westerly from the N. W. corner of the freight house platform. B. M. 26 has a straight line cut within the circle at the center of the brass cap _____U, S. C. & G. S. 5.246 Fernandina, B. M. is a standard U. S. C. & G. S. brass cap B. M. secured in concrete in same manner as B. M. 26. It is located near north east corner of Front and DeSoto Streets. It is about 34 feet north of center line of DeSoto Street, and 11.5 feet west of south west corner of a frame building used as the office of the Ino. G. McGiffin & Co., Steamship Agents. The nearest rail of rail road tracks is 33 feet to the westward, and a fire hydrant at southeast corner of Front and DeSoto Streets, is 53 feet to the southward. The cap is about flush with the surface of the ground, and is marked by an X inside the circle at the center ____ U. S. C. & G. S. 9.715 Fiftone, 10 meters east of track in line with old fence, on a high ridge about 50 meters south of wagon road 'crossing tracks, opposite old sawmill ____, U. S. C. & G. S._ 90,594 Flatford _____A. C. L. R. R. 57 Florahome -----G. S. & F. Ry._128 Florahome, 0.2 mile east of, at railroad crossing; top of rail _____U. S. C. & G. S. 113 Florahome, 150 feet southeast of station, in southeast corner of T road south; iron post stamped "125 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 26" ______ U. S. C. & G. S. 124.518 Florahome, 0.8 mile west of, on southwest corner of railroad truss over creek; head of bolt marked "92.7" -____U. S. C. & G. S._ 92.63 Fioral City _____A. C. L. R. R. . . . 57

Florence -----G. F. & A. Ry._145.5

Florida-Alabama State Line, crossing of on the

LOCALITY.	AU	THOR	ITY.	Eleva Above (feet	Sea
A. & St. A. B. Ry.	- A	& ST	Δ .	В теб	
Florida City				-	
Forest City	£.	E. C.	Ry.	9	.0
Fort Day	A.	C. L.	K.	K, 92	
Fort Drum	-F.	E. C.	Ky.	58	.9
Fort Gadsden					
Fort Lauderdale	-F.	E. C.	Ry.	10	.0
Fort Mason	-A.	C. L.	R. F	R 66	
Fort Meade					
Fort Ogden	'A.	C. L.	R.	R 37	
Fort Pierce	-F.	E. C.	Ry.	24	.5
	U.	S. A	rmy		
Fort Vinton Island	I	Engrs.,		26	
Fort White	-A.	C. L.	R.	R 63	
Francis	- A.	C. L.	R.	R 73	
Francis, southwest corner of yard of small dwellin	g	· -			
house belonging to R. D. Howell, north of track					
facing railroad, second house west of railroad sta					
tion, bottom of a square cut in top of an art					
ficial stone post 8 by 8 by 36 inches buried 30 inches					
in ground, lettered "U. S. C. &" "G. S. B. M););				
(C & C S Ereneis)	, ,,	C C	0 (C (-	
(C. & G. S. Francis)	U.	S. C.	& G	. S 69	.397
Franklin	-A.	N. K	. R.	8	
Frely's Siding, about 3½ miles east of Greenville,					
meters south of the Seaboard Air Line Railwa					-
tracks, 500 meters east of mile post 120	U.	S. C.	& G	. S114	.974
Frontenac	F.	E. C.	· Ry.	34	.2
Fruita	F.	E. C.	Ry.	29	.0
Fruitland Park	A.	C. L.	R.	R113	
Fulford	-F.	E. C.	Ry.	10	.3
Fullers	-S.	A. L.	Ry.	200	.8
Fulton	- U.	S. G.	S	4	
Gabaroon	L.	& N.	R.	R 5	.8
Gabriella	S.	A. T.	Rv.	80	
Gainesville, crossing S. A. L	A	C L	R	R 144	
Gainesville	\$	A T	Rv	T 47	
Gainesville	A	C I	R	P τΩς	
Gainesville, 24 meters from east end of station, between		C. 12.	14.	105	
main track and switch track of Seaboard Air Lin					
Railway, 25 meters northeast from main track 2.		S C	e C	C	
Gainesville, in the north face in the northeast corne		s. C.	& G.	. 5140	.794
		C C	0 0	C .	0-
of the Post Office building		S. C.	a G	. S173	.871
Gainesville, in the east face near the northeast corn					
of the drug store building, southeast of the Coun					
Court House	U.	S. C.	& G.	. S179	.232

LOCALITY.	AU'	THOR	ITY.	Elevation Above Solution (feet).	ea
Gainesville, southwest corner of Court House yar	rd;			(2000).	
bottom of a square cut in top of an 8 by 8 by				,	
inch marble post, buried 24 inches in ground a					
lettered "U. S. C. & G. S. B. M." (C. & G.					
"R")		S. C.	& G.	S176.0	02
Gainesville, west entrance to brick Court House, low		Z. O.			
step on right hand, near wall; bottom of a square					
cut in the upper surface of step, lettered "U. S.					
%" "G. S. B. M." (C. & G. S. "T")		s c	& G	S 1787	27
Gainesville, middle of doorway leading to second sto		J. C.	α σ.	5170.7	-,
of brick Barnett Block facing Court House squa					
in middle of front of building; middle of rais					
smooth band on outer edge of iron doorsill. (C					
G. S. "S")	. a	9 0	8- C	S 177.0	
Gainesville, one mile west of the County Court Hou		S. C.	a G.	51//.2	10
in the bottom step at the north entrance to		c c	8- C	S 167.0	002
Engineering Building of the University of Floric		S. C.	a G.	310/.9	U
Gainesville, one mile west of the County Court Hou					
in the step at the west entrance to the Engineer		c c	o C	¢ -6	0=
Building of the University of Florida		S. C.	& G.	5107.9	105
Gainesville, about 100 meters east of the north entra					
to the Engineering Building of the University		-			
Florida. B. M., is the top of the post marking		C C	o C	C -((-	
C. & G. S. Magnetic Station		S. C.	& G.	S100.7	22
Gainesville, about 150 meters northeast of the no					
entrance to the Engineering Building of					
University of Florida. B. M. is the top of					
stone post marking the meridian for the C. &		c	9 C	C =60 c	6-
S. Magnetic Station					
Galliver					
Galt City					
Geneva					3
Genoa		S. &	F. R	y145	
Georgia-Florida State Line, at crossing of on the V					
dosta-Palatka branch of the G. S. & F. Ry. betw					
mile posts 168 and 169		S. &	F. F	Ly150	
Georgia-Florida State Line, at crossing of on the V			1		
dosta-Jacksonville line of the G. S. & F. Ry.,			b.		
tween mile posts 208 and 209					
Getzens					
Gifford	F.	E. C	Ry.	-7 19.5	5
Glencoe	F.	E. C	. Ry.	26.8	5 .
Glen Ethel					
Glen St. Mary	S	-A. T	" Rv.	T32.0)

LOCALITY.	AU	TH	ori	TY.	Abo	evation ove Sea	1
Glen St. Mary, about I mile west of, near mile por C178, 8 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Rai					(1	eet).	
way tracks, in line with telegraph poles		S.	C.	& G	. S	127.060	2
Glen St. Mary, about 4 miles west of, near mile po		~.	•			/-	
C175, 8 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Rai							
way tracks, in line with telegraph poles		S.	C.	& G	. S	133.960)
Gomez							
Gomez Creek, Okeechobee County, near mile post 12		٠ند	С.	ICy.		20.0	
on the Okeechobee division		F	C	Rv		57.2	
				-			
Gonzalez							
Good Range							
Gordon							
Gotha							
Goulding							
Goulds							
Gradan		&	N.	R.	R:	274.3	
*Graham, 8 feet east of, southeast corner of station,							
road crossing; top of west joining of railroa							
track, marked "144.4"		S.	C.	& G	. S	142.9	
*Graham, 1.8 miles east of, 200 feet east of Graham							
Starke and Graham-Hampton crossroads, opposit							
wide road entrance to house to south; iron po							
stamped "147 Prim Trav. Sta. No. 78		S.	C.	& G	. S	145.200)
*Graham, 3 miles east of, 50 feet northwest of second							
class road to southwest, 6 feet north of road							
nail in root of pine stump, marked "139.8		S.	C.	& G	. S	138.32	
*Graham, 4 miles east of, in west angle of road for							
to northwest, about 400 feet northwest of house,							
mile west of Hampton; nail in root of pine tre							
marked "152.8"	U.	S.	C.	& G	. S	151.28	
Granada							
Grand Crossing							
Grand Crossing							
Grandin		S.	&	F. I	Ху	100	
Grandin, 200 feet north of railroad station, at north							
east corner of store, inside fence; iron po						3.0	
stamped "101 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 27"		S.	C	& G	. S	100.528	3
Grandin, 1.6 miles west of, at bottom of grade, nex							
telephone pole, on south joint of rail; marke							
"97.8"							
Grand Ridge	_L.	&	N.	R.	R'	129.8	
Grant							
Green Cove Springs	_'A.	C.	L.	R.	R	28	

LOCALITY. Elevation AUTHORITY. Above Sea (feet).
GreenlandF. E. C. Ry 23.8
Greenland, about 30 meters south of the station, 10
meters west of the Florida East Coast Railway
tracks, in line with telegraph polesU. S. C. & G. S 21.217
GreensboroA. N. R. R280
Greens CrossingL. & N. R. R223
Greenville, about 300 meters west of the Seaboard Air
Line Railway station, 8 meters south of the Sea-
board Air Line Railway main track and 8 meters
east of the S. Ga. & W. C. Railway track near
their crossing (U. S. G. S. Prim. Trav Sta.)U. S. C. & G. S 98.044
Greenville, S. Ga. & W. C. Railway crossingS. A. L. Ry 97.0
Greenville, in the south face of the brick building
opposite the Seaboard Air Line Railway station U. S. C. & G. S 99.376
Greenville, about 21/2 miles west of, near mile post 126;
26 feet north of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks U. S. C. & G S. 93.015
Greenville, about 4½ miles west of, in fence corner
at road crossing; 586 feet east of mile post 128;
26 feet north of Seaboard Air Line Railway
tracksU. S. C. & G. S 91.424
Greenville, 11/2 miles east of, 100 meters east of mile
post 122, near private road crossing, 8 meters south
of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracksU. S. C. & G. S100.941
Greenville, about 3½ miles east of, at Frely's Siding, 8 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railway
tracks, 500 meters east of mile post 120U. S. C. & G. S114.974
Greenville, about $6\frac{1}{2}$ miles east of, 125 meters east
of mile post 117, 8 meters south of Seaboard Air
Line Railway tracksU. S. C. & G. S100.899
GreinaS. A. L. Ry290.4
Grove ParkA. C. L. R. R100
Grove Park, in northeast corner of lot owned by M. S.
Spray, across street south of railroad station; bot-
tom of a square cut in artificial stone post 8 by 8
by 36 inches, buried 30 inches in ground and let-
tered "U. S. C. & G. S. B. M." (C. & G. S. "P")U. S. C. & G. S100.542
GuilfordG. S. & F. Ry135
Gulf HammockA. C. L. R. R 33
Gulf JunctionA. C. L. R. R. 67
Gull PointL. & N. R. R 11.3
HagueA. C. L. R. R174
Haines CityA. C. L. R. R157

LOCALITY. AU	THORITY.	Elevation Above Sea (feet).
HainesworthA.	C. L. R. R	173
HainesworthS.		
Half MoonA.	C. L. R. R	54
Hallandale F.	E. C. Ry	11.0
Hammock Ridge, S. A. L. depotU.	S. G. S	78
HamptonG.	S. & F. Ry	148
Hampton, 150 feet east of northeast corner of station,		
50 feet south of northwest corner of hotel, 8		
feet north of pavement, 2 feet south of old con-		•
crete well top, iron post stamped '150 Prim. Trav.		
Sta. No. 79'U.	S. C. & G.	S144.186
Hampton, 46 meters southwest of station, 40 meters		
south of white house, 20 meters west of Sea-		
board Air Line Railway track, in line with tele-	C C 0 C	C = .0 o = =
graph polesU. Hampton, about 3 miles northeast of, 300 meters south	S. C. & G.	5146.057
of mile post 76 and irrigation ditch, 15 meters		
west of Seaboard Air Line Railway track, near		
fence lineU.	S C & G	S TEE 728
HardawayA.		
HardeeA.		
HaroldL.		
HarpL.		
HarwoodF.		
Haskell, A.	C. L. R. R.	116
HastingsF.	E. C. Ry	10.5
Hastings, in yard of Thomas H Hastings' residence,		
near back steps of veranda, on west side of house;		
bottom of a square cut in top of marble post		
(Coast and Geodetic Survey bench mark)U.	S. C. & G.	S 7.527
Hastings, about 300 feet south of station, in north-		
east corner of yard, west side of street; iron post		
stamped "9 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 8U	. S. C. & G.	S 9.087
Hastings, 1.2 miles south of, in southeast angle of T		
road south, near schoolhouse, 30 feet east of road;	C	C
nail in root of pine tree, marked "11.3"U. Hastings, 2.8 miles south of, 400 feet southwest of	, S. C. & G.	5 12.29
large white house, 10 feet west of road; nail in		
top of fence post, marked "18"U.	S C & G	S TO IT
Hastings, 3.4 miles south of, west side of road, oppo-	. S. C. & G.	19.11
site barn 200 feet east of road, 50 feet northwest	- " \	
of second-class road forks east; iron post stamped		
"17 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 9"U.	S. C. & G	S., 18.118
1, 1 mi, 11av. Sta. 110. 9	. s. c. a c.	2.5 10.110

LOCALITY.	AUTHORITY. A	levation bove Sea (feet).
Hastings, 4.5 miles south of, at corner of wire fend 25 feet west of road; nail in root of pine tre	ce,	,.
marked "20.7"	U. S. C. & G. S.	_ 21.78
Hastings, 5.7 miles south of, 50 feet south of for to southeast, 15 feet east of road; nail in root of		
pine tree, marked "24.6"	U. S. C. & G. S.	_ 25.63
Hastings, 3.9 miles south of, 50 feet south of second class road forks to southeast, 6 feet east of road		
nail in root of pine tree, marked "23. 2"	U. S. C. & G. S.	_ 23.32
Havana, about 325 feet west of the Georgia-Florid		-243.2
and Alabama Railway station; 6 feet north fro	m	
north fence of a tobacco field, 49 feet south of the Georgia Florida and Alabama Railway main track		0.47.050
Havana, about 3.7 miles southeast of, at mile post 6;	3; -	-24/.050
33 feet north of Georgia Florida and Alaban Railway track		T42 87T
Hawks Park	_F. E. C. Ry	
Hawthorn, on south side (next railroad track) of frame dwelling house of W. T. Broswell, east of		
railroad station, in brick chimney, in eighteent	th	
course above ground, second brick from south west corner of chimney; intersection of cross is		
end of copper bolt (C. & G. S. "N")	U. S. C. & G. S.	_145.150
Hawthorn, in brick chimney at north end of one-stor house of J. N. Craig, north of railroad track, ha		
a block from railroad station, in eighteenth cours	se	
above ground and in corner brick at northea corner of chimney; intersection of a cross in en		
of copper bolt (C. & G. S. "O")	U. S. C. & G. S.	
Hayes		
Helen		
HernandoHibernia		
Highland	_S. A. L. Ry	
Highland, about 1.5 miles south of, at mile post 6 20 meters west of Seaboard Air Line Railwa		
tracks	_U. S. C. & G. S.	-174.593
Highland, about 3 miles north of, about ½ mile sout of mile post 59, about 110 meters north of bridge		
No. 59.6, 11 meters west of Seaboard Air Lir	ne	
Railway tracks, near abandoned road crossing . High Springs		
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Hilliard	Α	C	T.	R	R	66
Hilliard						
Hilliardville						
Hillsboro						
Hillsboro River, crossing S. A. L. Ry.						
Hinson						
Hobe Sound						
Hodges						
Hodges Mill, Putnam County, railroad crossing; top		11.	ப.	IXy.		/1
of rail		C	C	8- C	c	T-0
Hogan						
Hogan		S.	G.	S		23
Hollister, southwest corner of yard of dwelling house				•		
of Mr. T. W. Ralp, facing railroad, a short dis-						
tance west of railroad station, north of track						
bottom of a square cut in top of an artificial stone						
post 8 by 8 by 36 inches buried 30 inches in ground						
and lettered "U. S. C. &" "G. S. B. M." (C. &		~	_		_	
G. S. "K")						
Holly Hill						
Holopaw	F.	E.	C.	Ry.		79.9
Holts	L.	&	N	R.	R:	193.3
Homeland	Α.	C.	L.	R.	R:	139
Homestead	F.	E.	C.	Ry.		9.0
Homosassa, A. C. L. depot	U.	S.	G.	S		5
Hopkins	F.	E.	C.	Ry.		19.7
Hosford	Α.	N.	R.	R		88
Houston	S.	A.	L.	Ry.		169.5
Houston, about 50 meters west of Seaboard Air Line	9					
Railway station, 8 meters south of tracks, in line	•					
with telegraph poles	U.	S.	C.	& G.	. S:	70.069
Hunter	U.	S.	G	. S.		28
Huntington						
Hurds						
Hypoluxo				-		
Indian River City						
Indian Springs						
Inglehome						
Inverness						
Interlachen, on north side of a small triangular inclo-						0.5
sure in front of Mr. James M. Erskine's feed store						
opposite railroad station; bottom of a square cut						
in top of an artificial stone post 8 by 8 by 36 inches						
The state of the s						

Elevation
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buried 30 inches in ground and lettered "U. S. C.
& G. S. B. M. (C. & G. S. "L")U. S. C. & G. S105.431
InwoodL, & N. R. R160.3
IslamoradaF, E, C, Ry 10.2
Island GroveS. A. L. Ry 69
Isabel LakeU. S. Army
Engrs., 1882 71
Island LakeA, C. L. R. R 54
IstachattaA. C. L. R. R 52
JacksonvilleA. C. L. R. R 8
JacksonvilleG. S. & F. Ry 15
Jacksonville, about 7 miles west of, 0.4 mile east of
Marietta, seven telegraph poles west of mile post
7, 15 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railway
tracksU. S. C. & G. S 47.319
Jacksonville, about 4 miles west of, 3 meters north of
mile post 4, 10 meters north of Seaboard Air Line
Railway tracksU. S. C. & G. S. 23.268
Jacksonville, in the south face near the southeast cor-
ner of the Hotel Mason on Bay streetU. S. C. & G. S 14.416
Jacksonville, in the west face of the west pillar at the
north entrance to the S. B. Hubbard hardware
store on Bay StreetU. S. C. & G. S _ 9.580
Jacksonville, in the east face of the old County Court
House, near the northeast cornerU S. C. & G. S. 21.480
Jacksonville, in the west face near the entrance of the
large brick building used as a bakery near Fifth
and Main Street; 75 meters south of the Sea-
board Air Line Railway crossingU. S. C. & G. S. 25.367
Jacksonville, in the abutment at the south end of the
Florida East Coast Railway bridge over the St.
Johns River. Top of a 3 inch brass screw set in
cement and marked 'B. M. Elev. 11.02'U. S. C. & G. S. 11.115
JamiesonG. F. & A. Ry. 140
Jamieson, at the west end of the Georgia Florida and
Alabama Railway station platform, 6 feet south
from the main trackU. S. C. & G. S146.981
JasperG. S. & F. Ry152
Jefferson
JenningsG. S. & F. Ry150
JensenF .E. C. Ry 23.5
Jewfish drawbridge on Long Creek Channel between
mile posts 415 and 416F. E. C. Ry 10.0
JohnsonA. C. L. R. R100

LOCALITY. AUTHORITY. Above Sea (feet).
KissimmeeA. C. L. R. R 60.1
Kissimmee River at Bassenger LandingU. S. Army
Engrs., 1902 35
Kissimmee River at Ft. Kissimmee LandingU. S. Army
Engrs., 1902 51
KnightsS. A. L. Ry117
KolokeeF. E. C. Ry 32.3
KomokaA. C. L. R. R 86
Korono F. E. C. Ry 31.5
LaBuenaU. S. G. S141
LacoocheeA. C. L. R. R 72
LaCrosseS. A. L. Ry124
Lady LakeA. C. L. R. R 77
LagrangeU. S. Army
Engrs., 1903 26
Lake Buffum, Polk CountyU. S. Army
Engrs, 1882138
Lake Butler G. S. & F. Ry141
Lake CharmS. A. L. Ry 60
Lake CityA. C. L. R. R201
Lake CityG. S. & F. Ry195
Lake CityS. A. L. Ry196.5
Lake CityU. S. Army
Engrs., 1879203
Lake City, in the brick wall just under the ticket office
window
Lake City, 50 meters east of Seaboard Air Line Rail-
way station, 10 meters east of water tank, 8 meters
south of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks, near
telegraph poleU. S. C. & G. S195.472
Lake City, about 11/2 miles east of, crossing of Sea-
board Air Line RailwayG. S. & F. Ry190
Lake City, about 3 miles west of, at mile post 147
near west end of a small railway cut, 8 meters
north of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracksU. S. C. & G. S140.279
Lake City, about 6 miles west of, at mile post 144,
8 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railway
tracks at Ogden SidingU. S. C. & G. S106.686
Lake City, about 9 miles west of, at mile post 141, 8
meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railway
tracksU. S. C. & G. S149.813
Lake City JunctionA, C. L. R. R 51
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LOCALITY.	ΑU	TH	OR	ΙΤ	Y.	Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Lake Clement	Ū.	S.	Ar	my	7	(\$000).
		Eng	rs.,	Ι	903	9
Lake Geneva		S.	&	F.	R	yI37
*Lake Geneva, 200 feet south of railroad station, anortheast corner of Baldwin and Kennedy's store	;	c	C	0_	C	C 700 064
iron post stamped "130 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 62"		۵.	C.	œ	G.	5130.005
*Lake Geneva, 1.2 miles north of, 15 feet west of roa 300 feet east of large sink hole; nail in root of dead pine tree, marked "158.6"	f _U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S158.59
*Lake Geneva, 2.2 miles north of, 140 feet northwe						
of road forks to southeast, about 700 feet east of lake; nail in root of pine tree, marked "132"		S.	C.	&	G.	S132.06
*Lake Geneva, 3.2 miles north of, 50 feet west of roa	1,					
300 feet southwest of road forks. at top of rise nail in root of pine snag, marked "149"		S.	C.	&	G.	S148.93
*Lake Geneva, 3. 8 miles north of, in southwest corne	er					
of road crossing, northeast of lake; iron po stamped "158 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 63"	st U.	s.	C.	&	G.	S157.627
*Lake Geneva. 4.5 miles north of, 10 feet northeast of road forks to southeast, 300 feet south of bridge						
over lake outlet, on sandhill; nail in root of blac oak tree, marked "1444"	k	S	C	&	G	S144.38
*Lake Geneva, 6.1 miles north of, 250 feet north of		٠.	٠.	•		21-1-1-100
drain crossing, in northwest corner of intersection of Greencove-Theressa and Starke-Lake Genev	n					
roads; iron post stamped "167 Prim. Trav. St	a.					
No. 64"	_U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S167.427
*Lake Geneva, 7.9 miles north of, in southwest corne		-,			-	
of forks of road to west, 500 feet west of lake		S	C	&	G	S 102.10
*Lake Geneva, 9.1 miles north of, 300 feet north of		-	٠.	~	٠.	2.219
old mill stand, 13 feet north of old tram road						
nail in root of blazed pine tree		S.	C.	&	G.	S226.80
*Lake Geneva, 9.8 miles north of, in northeast corne	er					
of crossroads, 10 feet south of charred pine snag						
iron post stamped "234 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 65".		S.	C.	&	G.	S233.786
*Lake Geneva, 10.6 miles north of, in southeast corn						
of crossroads, I mile north of primary travers station No. 65; nail in root of dead pine snag .	U.	S.	C.	&	G.	5238.66
*Lake Geneva, 12 miles north of, in northeast corne						
of crossroads; iron post stamped "246 Prim. Tra Sta. No. 66"		S.	C.	&	G.	S246.227

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LOCALITY.	AUTHORITY. Above Sea (feet).
*Lake Geneva, 13.5 miles north of, in southwest corr	ner
of crossroads, 250 feet southwest of desert	
house, 6 feet west of road; nail in root of r	
oak tree	
*Lake Geneva, 15.2 miles north of, west side of King ley Lake, northwest corner of crossroads; nail	
root of red oak tree	
Lake Harney, Orange County	
Dake Trainey, Grange County	Engrs., 1903 5
Lake Helen	F. E. C. Ry 63.5
Lake Helen Blazes	U. S. Army
Lake Istokpoga	Engrs., 1903 16 -
Lake Istokpoga	
T 1 T 1	Engrs., 1902 49
Lake JacksonLake Jessup, Orange County	
Lake Jessup, Orange County	Engrs., 1903 4
Lake Kissimmee	
	Engrs., 1882 59
Lake Lafayette, about 7 miles east of Tallahassee,	
mile post 158; 26 feet north of Seaboard Air Li	
Railway tracks	
Lakeland	
Lake Lenore	•
Lake Livingston, Polk County	Engrs., 1882 92
Lake Livingston, Folk County	Engrs., 1882 01
Lake Lochloosa, water level of	
Lake Mary	A. C. L. R. R 66
Lake Monroe, Volusia County	U. S. Army
	Engrs., 1003 4
Lake Okeechobee	•
Lake Pickett	Engrs., 1902 20
Lake Poinsett, Brevard County	II S A 71.2
Dake Tollisett, Drevard County	Engrs., 1903 15
Lake View	F. E. C. Rv 100
Lakeville	A. C. L. R. R 84
Lake Tohopekaliga, Osceola County	U. S. Army
	Engrs., 1882 64
Lake Washington, water surface, Brevard County	
Lake Winder Browned Country	Engrs., 1903 16
Lake Winder, Brevard County	
	Engrs., 1882 19

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Lake Winder, Brevard County	U. S. Army
	Engrs., 1903 15
Lake Worth	
Lane Park	A. C. L. R. R 61
Lantana	F. E. C. Ry 11.0
Largo	
Larkin	
Laurel Hill	
LaVilla Junction	
Lawtey	
Lawtey, 18 meters west of station and 18 meters ea	
of Lawtey State Bank	
Lebanon	
Ledwith Lake	
Lee	
Leesburg	
Leesburg, crossing S. A. L. Ry.	
Leesburg	
Leitman	
Leitner, A. C. L. depot	
Lemon Bluff	
	Emany Took TH
T ' C'	Engrs., 1903 15
Lemon City	F. E. C. Ry 18.5
Lenard	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of station	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on,
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on, ay
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on, ay U. S. C. & G. S 43.727
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on, ay U. S. C. & G. S 43.727 U. S. G. S 85
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot Leroy Lake	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on, ay U. S. C. & G. S 43.727 U. S. G. S 85 U. S. G. S 63
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot Leroy Lake Lexington	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on, ay U. S. C. & G. S 43.727 U. S. G. S 85 U. S. G. S 63 A. C. L. R. R 69
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot Leroy Lake Lexington Liberty	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on, ay U. S. C. & G. S 43.727 U. S. G. S 85 U. S. G. S 63 A. C. L. R. R 69 A. N. R. R 94
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot Leroy Lake	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on, ay U. S. C. & G. S 43.727 U. S. G. S 85 U. S. G. S 63 A. C. L. R. R 69 A. N. R. R 94 F. E. C. Ry 17.0
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot Leroy Lake Lexington Liberty Likely Linden	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on, ay U. S. C. & G. S 43.727 U. S. G. S 85 U. S. G. S 63 A. C. L. R. R 69 A. N. R. R 94 F. E. C. Ry 17.0 A. C. L. R. R 90
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot Leroy Lake Lexington Liberty Likely Linden Little Allapaha River, Hamilton County, between meters	F. E. C. Ry 18.5A. C. L. R. R115 on, ayU. S. C. & G. S 43.727U. S. G. S 85U. S. G. S 63A. C. L. R. R 69A. N. R. R 94F. E. C. Ry 17.0A. C. L. R. R 90 ile
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot Leroy Lake Lexington Liberty Likely Linden Little Allapaha River, Hamilton County, between m posts 178 and 179	F. E. C. Ry 18.5 A. C. L. R. R115 on, ay U. S. C. & G. S 43.727 U. S. G. S 63 A. C. L. R. R 69 A. N. R. R 94 F. E. C. Ry 17.0 A. C. L. R. R 90 ile G. S. & F. Ry 97
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot Leroy Lake Lexington Liberty Likely Linden Little Allapaha River, Hamilton County, between m posts 178 and 179 Little Aucilla River	F. E. C. Ry 18.5A. C. L. R. R115 on, ayU. S. C. & G. S 43.727U. S. G. S 85U. S. G. S 63A. C. L. R. R 69A. N. R. R 94F. E. C. Ry 17.0A. C. L. R. R 90 ileG. S. & F. Ry 97S. A. L. Ry 82.7
Lenard Lennon, 36 meters east and 21 meters south of static 19 meters south of Seaboard Air Line Railw track, 40 meters west of south end of siding Leroy, A. C. L. depot Leroy Lake Lexington Liberty Likely Linden Little Allapaha River, Hamilton County, between m posts 178 and 179	F. E. C. Ry 18.5A. C. L. R. R115 on, ayU. S. C. & G. S 43.727U. S. G. S 85U. S. G. S 63A. C. L. R. R 69A. N. R. R 94F. E. C. Ry 17.0A. C. L. R. R 90 ileG. S. & F. Ry 97S. A. L. Ry 82.7U. S. Army
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LOCALITY.	AU	TH	ORI	TY.	Abo	ve Sea
Little River, Gadsden County, between mile posts 18	2				(1)	
and 183		Α.	T.	Rv.		86.6
Little Snake Creek, Dade County, between mile post	·			5		
354 and 355		F	C	D.,		0.0
		Ŀ.	C.	ку		9.0
Little Snake Creek, Monroe County, between mil		_	~	n		0 -
posts 436 and 437	_F.	E.	C.	Ry.		0.3
Little Wekiva River, Levy County	_A.	C.	L.	R. 1	×	28
Live Oak						
Live Oak, A. C. L. R. R. crossing						
Live Oak, L. O. P. & G. R. R. crossing	_S.	A.	L.	Ry	3	об.4
Live Oak, about 23/4 miles east of, 50 meters east of	f					
mile post C130, 8 meters north of Seaboard A	r					
Line Railway tracks		S.	C.	& G.	S1	06.056
Live Oak, 70 meters east of Union Station one meter			-			
east of fence of a formal garden on railroad right						
of way, 10 meters north of Seaboard Air Lin						
		C	C	8- C	c .	04 678
Railway main trackLive Oak, in the south face, beneath the ticket offic	- U.	٥.	C.	α G.	٥١	104.070
		~	~		С.	
window of the Union Passenger station		S.	C.	& G.	51	107.359
Live Oak, in the east face, near the northeast corne			_		_	
of the Suwannee County Court House					S1	105.977
Live Oak, in the north face near the northeast corne						
of the U. S. Post Office Building	_U.	S.	C.	& G.	S3	12.811
Live Oak, about 31/2 miles west of, 25 meters east of	t					
mile post 85, 15 meters north of Seaboard Air Lin	e					
Railway track, in fence corner on east side of						
hill		S.	C.	& G.	S	115.308
Live Oak, about 6.7 miles west of, at mile post 88, 1						
meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railway track	_					
in fence corner		C	C	8, G	9	06 627
Lloyd		Α.	L.	Ку.		81.1
Lloyd, about 492 feet east of the Seaboard Air Lin						
Railway station, 82 feet west of road crossing, 2						_
feet south of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks -		S.	C.	& G.	S	80.325
Lloyd, opposite the Seaboard Air Line Railway station		4				
33 feet south of the main track	_U.	S.	C.	& G.	S	82.605
Lloyd, about 3 miles west of, at mile post 150, about	ıt					
26 feet north of Seaboard Air Line Railwa						
tracks		S.	C.	& G.	S	70.889
Lochapopka Lake						
					2:	117
Lockloom S A I denot	TT	C	C	S		60

LOCALITY.	AU'	тно	$_{ m RI}$	TY.	Abo	vation ve Sea
Lochloosa, 200 feet southeast of station, between ma	in				(fe	eet).
public road south and railroad; iron post stampe						
"Prim. Trav Sta. No. 45, 65"		S. (٦.,	& G.	S	65,327
Lochloosa, I mile east of, 50 feet east of road forl		~.	•			-5-5-7
to southwest, 15 feet south of road; nail in ro						
of pine tree, marked "86"		S. C	C. (& G.	S	86.12
Lochloosa, 2.1 miles east of, in southeast corner of						
crossroads; iron post stamped "82 Prim Trav. St	a					
No. 46"	U.	S. C	C. (& G.	S	82.206
Lochloosa, 3.3 miles east of, 50 feet northeast of di	m					
road southeast, 500 feet west of crossroads,						
feet north of road; nail in root of pine tre						
marked "87"		S. (J. (& G.	S	86.89
Lofton, about 1/2 mile west of, 100 meters west of						
mile post 8, and 12 meters south of Seaboard A						
Line Railway tracks						
Lokosee						61.9
Long Bluff	U.	S. A	4rı	ny		
	E	Engr	s.,	1903	3	19
Long Key						
Long Pine						
Longwood						
Loretto		S.	G.	S		23
Louisa, 50 feet southwest of station, about same di		-				
tance west of crossing; iron post stamped "I						
Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 76"						
Lowell, A. C. L. depot						
Loxahatchee River, between mile posts 282 and 283.						
Lulu						
Lyrata				-		
McAlpin						
McClenny		A. :	L.	Ry	I	30.4
McClenny, about 21/2 miles east of, 650 meters we						
of mile post "J25", 8 meters north of Seaboar	rd					
Air Line Railway tracks, in line with telegrap		a .			_	
poles		S. C). č	άG.	S.,1	53.094
McClenny, about 40 meters west of the station,						
meters north of the Seaboard Air Line Railwa		G -				,
tracks, in line with telegraph poles		S. C	٠. (& G.	S1	31.581
McClenny, in the north bay, of the east end of the			-	. ~	_	
Baker County Court House						
McDavid						-
McIntosh, A. C. L. depot			l T	-		MA
McKinley						

LOCALITY.	AU	тн	OR	ΙT	Y.	Abo	vation ve Sea et).
McMeekin, about I mile north of, in northeast corn of crossroads; nail in root of sapling, mark "139"	ed	S	C	87	G		
McMeekin, northeast corner of L. J. Stokes's stor artificial stone post (Coast and Geodetic Surv	e; ey						
bench mark) McMeekin, 3,1 miles south of, in south angle of for to southwest; iron post stamped "117 Prim Tra	ks	۵.	C.	œ	G.	5,_1	20,230
Sta. No. 32"McMeekin, in inclosure just north of L. J. Stokes store, 2 feet south of Coast and Goodetic Surv	s's	S.	C.	&	G.	S1	17.296
bench mark; iron post stamped "120 Prim. Tra	v. U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S1	20.364
McMeekin, at railroad crossing, top of rail McMeekin, 1.3 miles southwest of, 30 feet souther of second-class road forks to northwest; nail	st	S.	C.	&	G.	S1	07
root of water oak tree, marked "106" McMeekin, 2.7 miles south of, in northeast corner road crossing; nail in root of pine stump, mark	of	S.	C.	&	G.	S1	05.98
"II3.5" McMeekin, 4.1 miles south of, 20 feet southeast	U. of						
forks; nail in root of pine tree, marked "104.2" McMeekin, 5.4 miles south of, 25 feet southeast of root forks to northwest; nail in root of red oak tree	ad	S.	C.	&	G.	S1	04.20
marked "99.8"McMeekin, 6.1 miles south of, about 300 feet east	U. of	S.	C.	&	G.	S	99.76
lake, in northeast corner of crossroads; iron postamped "87 Prim Trav Sta. No. 33McMeekin, 7.1 miles south of, in northwest angle of road west, about 200 feet west of creek and o	U. T	S.	C.	&	G.	S	86.754
mill; nail in root of red oak tree, marked "66.8" McMeekin, 7. 8. miles south of, 500 feet west of ce ter of bridge over Orange Creek, 30 feet west	U. n-	S.	C.	&	G.	S	66.78
road forks: nail in root of red oak tree, mark "57.8"	eđ U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S	57.72
east of Orange Creek, in triangle of T road east iron post stamped "69 Prim Trav. Sta. No. 34" McMeekin, 9.8 miles south of, in southeast corner	t; U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S	68.612
crossroads, about 4 miles west of Orange Spring	s;	S	С	&	G	S	78 TO

Mattox _____S. A. L. Ry.___ 84.0

LOCALITY.	AUT	HORIT	Y.	Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Mattox	_U.	S. G.	S	86
Maxville				
Maxville, about 2.3 miles south of, 0.3 miles south o				
mile post 56, 15 meters west of Seaboard Air Line				
Railway tracks, near road crossing		S. C. &	G.	S102.018
Maxville, about I mile north of, 1/2 mile south o				
mile post 52, opposite "station one mile" sign, I				
meters west of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks		S. C. &	G.	S 90.318
Mavi s	_L. 8	& N.	R. F	260.7
Mayo				
Mayport				
Mayport				
Maytown				
Media			-	
Melbourne	_F.]	E. C.	Rv	22.5
Melrose, southwest corner of town hall, 200 feet north		J. U.	y •==	
of post office; iron post stamped "162 Prim Trav				
Sta. No. 60"		S. C. 8	G.	S162.223
Melrose, 0.3 mile east of post office, in southwest cor				
ner of cross-roads, near signboard "Starke 18 mi				
McMeekin 9"; nail in root of pine tree, marke				
"153.7"		S. C. 8	G.	S153.61
Melrose, I.I miles south of, 100 feet north of roa				
northeast to house, 150 northeast of drain cross				
ing, 8 feet east of road; nail in top of stump o	f			
twin tree, marked "115.3"	_U. S	S. C. 8	G.	S115.19
Melrose, 2.4 miles south of, in northwest corner o	f			
crossroads, near signboard "Interlachen 10 mi	٠,			
Melrose 21/2"; iron post stamped "122 Prim. Trav				
Sta. No. 30"		S. C. 8	G.	S122.249
Melrose, 3.8 miles south of, 30 feet north of roa				
forks northwest, near signboards pointing north				
and northwest, 15 feet east of road; nail in roo			•	
of pine tree, marked "146"		S. C. 8	z G.	S145.93
Melrose, 5.9 miles south of, 100 feet northwest o				
crossroads, 10 feet northeast of corner of ol				
schoolhouse; iron post stamped "179 Prim Trav			_	
Sta. No. 31"		S. C. 8	G.	S178.953
Melrose, 6.9 miles south of, 15 feet west of road fork				
to northeast, 8 feet west of road; nail in root of				0 (%
small black oak tree, marked "161.2"	-U.	S. C. 8	ζĠ.	5101.07

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LOCALITY.		TH	OR	ΙΤΊ	<i>.</i> .	Abo	vation ve Sea et).
Melrose, 7.5 miles south of, about I mile north	of						
McMeekin, in northeast corner of crossroads; n	ail						
in root of sapling, marked "139"	U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S1	38.70
Melrose, 1.4 miles northeast of, in northeast angle	of	1					
road forks to northeast, just behind large pi	ne						
tree; nail in root of small water oak tree, mark	ed						
"161.8		S.	C.	&	G.	S1	61 .71
Melrose, 2.2 miles northeast of, 30 feet west of ro							1
forks to southwest, about 250 feet south of dra							
crossing; iron post stamped "146 Prim. Trav. S							•
No. 61"		S	C.	&	G.	S1	45.867
Melrose, 3.3 miles northeast of, at top of hill, 20 fe	eet .	٠.	~.	~	••	~	-137
west of road, 2 feet southeast of 18-inch pin							
nail in root of blazed oak tree, marked "144.5" -		S	C	& (G	S. T	44.53
Meredith, 25 meters west of station, 10 meters nor	C . th	٥.	<u> </u>	•	٠.	2	77.55
of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks		ς	C	8-	G	S	02.002
Mexico							
Miami		E.	C.	K	У		10.0
Miami River, Dade County, between mile post 3		TP	C	ъ			
and 367							
Micanopy							
Micanopy Junction, in front of station, top of rail		S.	C.	&	G.	S	72.4
Micanopy Junction, 0.4 mile south of, in souther							
corner of railroad crossing, east of railroad trac							
iron post stamped "68 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 42"		S.	C.	&	G.	S	68.424
Micanopy Junction, 1.3 miles southeast of, 15 fe							
north of road forks to southeast; nail in root	of						
pine tree, marked "63"	U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S	62.73
Micanopy Junction, 2.4 miles southeast of, 25 fe						~	
south of road forks to northeast of house; nail	in						
root of pine tree marked "73"	U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S	72.94
Micanopy Junction, 3.6 miles east of, in souther	ast						
corner of crossroads; iron post stamped "77 Pri	m.						
Trav. Sta. No. 43"	U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S	76.694
Micanopy Junction, 4.8 miles east of, in southwo							
corner of crossroads; nail in root of pine tr							
marked "91"	U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S	90.74
Micanopy Junction, 5.8 miles east of, in east ang							
of road forks to south, about 600 feet southwe							
of house; nail in root of pine tree, marked "74"	TI	S	C	&	G	S	74.27
Micanopy Junction, 7.1 miles east of, about 300 fe	C.	٥.	٠.		~.	~	,
east of bridge over Lochloosa Creek, in east any							,
of forks to north; iron post stamped "73 Pr							
Trav. Sta. No. 44"	TT	S	C	87	G	S -	72 000
11av. Sta. No. 44	0.	υ.	<u> </u>	α	٥.	J	72.900

LOCALITY.	AU	TH	ori	TY.	Ab	evati ove S feet)	Sea
Micanopy Junction, 8.0 miles east of road forks, 20					`		
feet west of drain crossing, 6 feet south of road							
nail in root of pine tree, marked "66"		S.	C.	& G.	S	. 65.8	33
Micanopy Junction, 9.4 miles east of, 300 feet south of							
drain, 15 feet east of road; nail in root of pir							
tree, marked"76"		S.	C.	& G.	S	. 76.1	7
Micanopy Junction, 10.47 miles east, on Seaboard A							
Line Railway; top of bolt on southeast corner of	of						
truss 103.5, marked "80"							
Micco	-F.	E.	C.	Ry.		25.5	;
Miccosukee	A.	C.	L.	R. R		.218	
Middleburg	U.	S.	G.	S		. 36	
Middleton, southwest corner of front yard at res	i-						
dence of Philip Weedman, near fence, at cente	er						
of marble post 8 by 8 inches in cross section an							
3 feet long, projecting 6 inches above the surface	e						
and lettered "U. S." "B. M." square cut (C.	&						
G. S. "F")	U.	S.	C	& G.	S	34.5	90
Midway							
Midway, about 164 feet west of the Seaboard Air Lin							
Railway station, 26 feet south of main track		S.	C.	& G.	S	.196.7	58
Midway, about 4 miles west, about 325 feet west of							
mile post 181, 26 feet south of Seaboard Air Lin							
Railway track, level with top of the rail, just eas							
of a high railway embankment		S.	C.	& G.	S	122.3	95
Millard, S. A. L depot	U.	S.	G.	S		. 94	
Millerton'	S.	Α.	L.	Rv.		. 89	
Military Park							,
Mill Creek, Hamilton County, between mile posts 17							
and 175	LG.	S.	&	F. R	y	105	
Milligan	_L.	&	N.	R.	R	57.3	}
Millman							
Milton							,
Millwood, A. C. L. depot							
Minneola							
Minorville	A.	C.	L.	R. R		122.0	,
Modello	-F.	E.	C.	Ry.		11,2	
Mohawk	-A.	C.	L.	R.	R	130	
Molino	-L.	&	N.	R. :	R	27.3	
Moncrief Spring							
Monroe	-A.	C.	L.	R. :	R	20	
Monroe Creek, Gadsden County between mile post							
180 and 181	. S	A	T.	Rv		TO2 7	,

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LOCALITY. AUTHORITY. Above Sea (feet).
MontbrookS. A. L. Ry 82
MonticelloA, C. L. R, R,_202
Monticello, at Court HouseFla Geol. Surv237
MorristonA. C. L. R. R 68
Mosquito Creek, Gadsden County, between mile posts
206 and 207S. A. L. Ry 80.3
Mosquito Creek, Gadsden County, between mile posts
207 and 208S. A. L. Ry 77.2
Mossy HeadL. & N. R256.8
Mount CarrieS. A. L. Ry197
Mount PleasantS. A. L. Ry297.7
Mount Pleasant, 97 feet southwest of the Seaboard
Air Line Railway station, 26 feet south of rail-road track nearly opposite the U. S. mail standU. S. C. & G. S296.049
Mount Pleasant, about 3 miles west of, 130 feet west
of mile post 201, 26 meters south of Seaboard Air
Line Railway tracksU. S. C. & G. S185.800
Mouth of Bow Legs CreekU. S. Army
Engrs., 1882 73
Mouth of Cow CreekU. S. Army
Engrs., 1882 20
MulatL. & N. R. R 3.8
Mule Creek, Levy CountyA. C. L. R. R 29
Mule Creek, Levy CountyA. C. L. R. R 29 Mullet LakeU. S. Army
Mule Creek, Levy County
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Mule Creek, Levy County A. C. L. R. R 29 Mullet Lake U. S. Army Engrs., 1903 5 Mulberry Mound U. S. Army Engrs., 1903 26
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Mule Creek, Levy County
Mullet Creek, Levy County
Mule Creek, Levy County
Mule Creek, Levy County
Mule Creek, Levy County A. C. L. R. R
Mule Creek, Levy County
Mulle Creek, Levy County A. C. L. R. R
Mulle Creek, Levy County A. C. L. R. R
Mulle Creek, Levy County A. C. L. R. R
Mulle Creek, Levy County A. C. L. R. R

LOCALITÝ.	Elevation Above Sea (feet).
New River, Bradford County, I mile south of, in	(leet).
northeast angle of road forks to east; nail in root	
of large pine tree, marked "155.5"	U. S. C. & G. S153.93
New River, Bradford County, 1.6 miles south of, on	
main Starke road, 50 feet northeast of culvert, 15	
feet north of road; nail in root of large pine tree,	
marked "157"	U. S. C. & G. S155.41
New River, Bradford County, 2.6 miles south of, in	
northwest corner of crossing of old tramway and	
road; nail in root of pine tree, marked "157.3"	
New River drainage canal, Broward County	
New Smyrna	F. E. C. Ry 10.3
Ninety-Five, 3.6 miles northeast of Gainesville. About	
75 meters north of mile post 95, 25 meters west	
of track in line with telegraph poles and opposite	
old still near railroad crossing	U. S. C. & G. S161.332
Nittaw	F. E. C. Ry 63.9
Nocatee	A. C. L. R. R 38
North Escambia	L. & N. R. R 2.8
Oak Hill]	F. E. C. Ry 18.7
Oakland	
OakLawn, A. C. L. depot	
O'Brien	
Ocala, A. C. L. depot*	
Ocala, S. A. L. depot	
Ocklawaha	
Ocklocknee River, east end of bridge, Leon County S	
Odessa	A. C. L. R. R 57
Ocoee	
Ogden	J. S. C. & G. S111.2
Ogden, about 6 miles west of Lake City, at mile post	
144, 8 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Rail-	
way tracks	
OjusI	
Okahumpka	
OkeechobeeI	
Okeechobee Lake	
Olive I	Engrs., 1882 20
Olustee,	2. & N. R. K131.8
Olustee, 12 meters east of Seaboard Air Line Railway	o. A. L. Ky101.0
station, 8 meters north of tracks, near mile post	
station, o meters north of tracks, near time post	

^{*}Ocala, at the present time has a union depot. The elevations refer to the old depots.

LOCALITY.	AU	TH	OR	ITY.	Ab	evation ove Sea eet).
C162	_U.	S.	C.	& G	S	174.002
Olustee, about 3 miles west of, near mile post C159						
8 meters north of the Seaboard Air Line Railwa						
tracks	-	S	C	& G	S	72 808
Olustee, about 6 miles west of, near mile post C156		٠.	٠.	u u,	· ~	1,2.000
8 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railway						
		c	C	。 c	-	
tracks		ఎ.	C	œ G	· >	179.311
Olustee Creek, Bradford County, between mile post						
223 and 224		S.	&	F. R	y	122
O'Neill, on range with telephone poles, 5 meters wes						
of southwest corner of station	_U	S.	C.	& G.	S	13.412
Orange Center	_A.	C.	L.	R. F	2	102.0
Orange City	_F.	E.	C.	Ry.		35.8
Orange City Junction						
Orangedale, St. Johns County						
Orange Heights						
Orange Lake, A. C. L. depot						
Orange Lake, water level of						
Orange Mills	-F.	E.	C.	Rv.		16.0
Orange Mills						
Orange Mills, about 1/2 mile northeast of on the		~•	•	~		-3
Florida East Coast Railway		S.	G.	S		15
Orange Park						_
Orange Park						
Orange Springs, 200 feet east of post office, in in-		٥.	u.	J		1/
closure, northwest corner of road crossing; iron						
post stamped "63 Prim Trav. Sta. No. 35"		S	C .	8- C	S	62 572
Orange Springs, 1.1 miles east of, in northwest corner		٥.	C. (a u.	5	02.5/2
of crossroads; nail in root of pine tree, market						
"66.7"		S	C	8- C	9	66.60
		٥.	C. (a u.	٥	00.00
Orange Springs, water surface of Oklawaha River		~	~		~	
March 13, 1911		S.	C. a	& G.	S	13
Orange Springs, 2.8 miles east of, at top of hill, in						
east corner of forks to south; nail in root of						
tree, marked "68.6"		S.	C. 8	& G.	S	68.44
Orange Springs, 3.4 miles east of, in southwest corner						
of crossroads; iron post stamped "135 Prim. Trav						
Sta. No. 36"		S. (C. 8	& G.	S1	34.426
Orange Springs, 5.1 miles east of, on top of rise, 150						
feet east of forks to southwest, 200 feet south of						
old house, 6 feet south of road; nail in root of red	i					
oak tree, marked "132.5"	U.	S. (C. 8	G.	S1	32.38

LOCALITY.		AUTHORIT	Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Orange Springs, 6.1 miles east of, about o of Cedar Landing, 50 feet southwest feet west of road; nail in root of wa	of forks,	б	
marked "14.3"			G. S 14.12
Orange Springs, 7.4 miles east of, in nort			
of dim crossroads, about 1.5 miles			
Cedar Landing; nail in root of pine			
"25.2"Orange Springs, 8.2 miles east of, 30 fo			G. S 27.03
tramway crossing, at southwest corne			
iron post stamped "26 Prim Trav Sta			G. S. 25.460
Orange Springs, 9.9 miles east of, south			21 21 25.409
opposite T road north, 20 feet no	orth of old	d	•
schoolhouse; nail in top of pine stu			
"48.8 ·			G. S 48.62
Orange Springs, II.I miles east of, 200 f			
of forks to west, 20 feet west of ronorthwest of low place in road; nail in			
tree, marked "28.8"			G S 2856
Orlando			
Ormond			
Osceola			
Oslo			
Osteen			
Otter Creek			
Otter Creek, S. A. L. depotOtter Creek, in south side of brick chimne			S 29
of two-story frame house, eighteen c			
ground, in second brick from souther			
chimney; intersection of cross in en			
bolt (C. & G. S. "Otter Creek")			G. S 32.384
Otter Creek, about 2.5 miles northeast of			3
post 132, 10 meters north of Seaboa			
Railway tracks 0.4 mile west of water			
Owensboro			
Oxton Ozona			
Pablo Beach			
Pablo Creek, Duval County, between mile			10.5
16 on the Mayport branch			Ry 15.3
Pace Junction		_L. & N. 1	R. R 13.8
Padlock			
Palatka		_G. S. & F	F. Ry 7

LOCALITY.	AUTHORITY.	Elevation
Detector of outbook to the		(feet).
Palatka, at southeast corner of train shed o		
Station, on corner of concrete curb;	chiseled	
square marked "23.6"	U. S. C. & G.	S 23.87
Palatka, in southwest corner of courthouse		
iron post stamped "19 Prim. Trav. Sta. N	To. 7" U. S. C. & G.	S 19.390
Palatka, I mile north of, 300 feet south of m	nile post,	
8 feet west of railroad track, northeast co		
base of signal tower; bolt marked "18.3"		S 18.31
Palatka, near south side of north door on w	vest side	
of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad offices,		
story brick building near St. Johns River,		
end of bridge over river; bottom of a square		
granite doorsill lettered "U. S." "B. M.		C
G. S. "J")		S 12.700
Palmer, near old C. & G. S. bench mark (des		
on high ground about 30 meters northeast		
board Air Line Railway station, top of in		
in concrete in tin stove pipe. Cement is		
74.684		S 75.351
Palmer, top of foundation, at northwest co	orner, 2	
feet above ground, at west end of smal		
north of track and a little west of railroad		
bottom of a square cut in top of one of the	e stones	
forming foundation of brick chimney, lette	ered "U.	
S. B. M." (C. & G. S. "V")	U. S. C. & G.	S 76.348
Palm Springs		
Palm Valley, St. Johns County		
Panama Park, 20 meters east of Seaboard A		
Railway tracks, opposite the station		S 17.247
Panasoffkee		
Panasoffkee Lake		
Paola		
Paradise		
Park Place, A. C. L. depot		
Pasco		
Paynes Prairie, water level in sink at low sta		58
Peace Creek, at mouth of Big Charley Apopka		
•	Engrs., 1882.	
Pebble		136
Penial, 1,600 feet west of station, on northwest		
ment of bridge over drain, 2 feet below 1		
railroad track; top of bolt marked "24" -	U. S. C. & G. S	5 24.34
Penial, railroad crossing at station; top of ra	ailU. S. C. & G. S	S 25
Pensacola		

LOCALITY. Elevation Above Sea (feet).
PeoriaU. S. G. S28 Perkins CrossingL. & N. R. R242
PerrineF. E. C. Ry 13
Perry,
Persimmon BluffU. S. Amry
Engrs., 1903 17 PetersF. E. C. Ry 13.0
Phosphoria JunctionA. C. L. R. R123
PickettU. S. G. S 28
PiersonA. C. L. R. R 78
Pine BarrenL. & N. R. R 21.8
Pine Crest A. C. L. R. R 82
Pine IslandS, A. L. Ry119
Pine OrchardL. & N. R. R165
PinewayL. & N. R. R223
Piney Grove L. & N. R. R 78.8 Pin Hook S. A. L. Ry188.3
PlantationF. E. C. Ry 9.3
Plant CityA. C. L. R. R137
Plant CityS. A. L. Ry125
Plummer G. S. & F. Ry 21
PlummerU. S. G. S 19
PocatawF. E. C., Ry 70.5
Pomona, 300 feet north of station, in southwest angle
of railroad crossing; iron post stamped "63 Prim.
Trav. Sta. No. 17"U. S. C. & G. S 63.160
Pomona, 8.6 miles north of, on southeast abutment of bridge over St. Johns River, 10 feet east of rail-
road track and 1½ feet below it; top of iron rod
that holds wooden structure in place, marked "9.7" U. S. C. & G. S. 9.993
Pomona, 10.9 miles north of, 300 feet west of mile
post, at crossroads; top joint of north rail marked
"30"U. S. C. & G. S 30.2
Pomona, 11.6 miles north of, 20 feet south of railroad
crossing, at base of southeast corner of signal tower; bolt marked "32.4"U. S. C. & G. S 32.72
Pomona, about 1.5 miles west of, in northeast angle of
crossroads; nail in root of pine tree marked
"66.7"
PompanoF. E. C. Ry 15.0
Ponce De LeonL. & N. R. R 62.3
Port OrangeF. E. C. Ry 12.0
Port SewallF. E. C. Ry 22.0

LOCALITY.	AUTHORITY. Above Sea (feet).
Raulerson's	U. S. Army
	Engrs., 1903 15
Reddick, A. C. L. depot	
Rice Creek, at railroad crossing opposite station; to joint of east rail, marked "10.3"	
Rice Creek, o.8 mile north of station, 55 feet west	
railroad track, just behind mile post, about 500 fe	eet .
east of main Palatka-Bostwick road; iron po	
stamped "27"	
Richland	A. C. L. R. R 97
Riley	A. C. L. R. R 73
River Junction	
River Junction	
River Junction, end of S. A. L. Ry., track at wha	
on Apalachicola RiverRiver Junction, 1,300 feet east of the Union Passe	
ger station, bench mark is the highest point	
the bolt in the northwest pillar of the railway	
water tank. It is 6 feet south of the main trace	
Marked U. S. B. M.	
River Junction, opposite the three-story brick buil	
ing, 975 feet northeast of the Union Passeng	
station. Bench mark is the highest point of	
railroad rail (projecting 2½ feet) acting as a gua	
at the corner of sidewalkRiver Junction, about 1,138 feet west of the Unio	
Passenger station, 325 feet west of the west en	
of the Seaboard Air Line and Atlantic Coast Lu	
Railroad freight house, 98 feet south of the ma	
track	
River Junction, about 2 miles west of, 211 feet we	
of west concrete pier of Louisville and Nashvil	
Railroad bridge over the Apalachicola River,	
feet north of trestle, bench mark is the top of	
copper bolt set in a concrete post (U. S. E. No. 8,	Engrs., 63.786
River Junction, about 2 miles west of, in the triang	0 ,
formed by three blazed trees; one of which is	
20-inch white oak, distant 20 feet; another is	
24-inch post oak, distant 100 feet; and the oth	
is a 10-inch walnut, distant 127 feet. The ben	
mark is a copper bolt in a concrete post, 325 fe	
southwest of the west concrete pier at the we end of the Louisville and Nashville Railro	
end of the Louisville and Nashville Railro	ad

LOCALITY.	AU	JТН	or	ITY.	Abo	evation ove Sea
bridge over the Apalachicola River, and about feet from the bank of the river. (U. S. E. N	10 [0.	s. '.			(1	eet).
84)	U.					
Riverland	A.	Eng C.	grs., L.	R. F	 2	64.062 76
Riviera	F.	E.	C.	Ry.		19.4
Roberts	L.	&	N.	R. F	2	144.3
Rochelle, A. C. L. depot	U.	. S.	G.	S		.80
Rochelle, north end of one-story dwelling owned						
S. S. Phifer; copper bolt set in brick chimn						
(Coast and Geodetic Survey bench mark)	Ù.	. S.	C.	& G	. S	83.169
Rochelle, 15 feet southeast of main entrance to school						
house; iron post stamped "83 Prim. Trav. Sta. N		S.	- C.	& G	S.	82.70
Rochelle, 4 miles south of, in southwest corner			٠.	a		02.70
railroad crossing; iron post stamped "72 Pri						
Trav. Sta. No. 41"		S.	C.	& G.	S	72.442
Rochelle, 5 miles south of, 20 feet northeast of ra						
road crossing; top of a piece of iron rail driv					•	
in ground, marked "68"		S.	C.	& G.	S,_	67.59
Rochelle, I mile north of, in southwest angle of ro					ĺ	
to west; nail in root of pine tree, marked "98.3"	U.	S.	C.	& G.	S	08.32
Rochelle, 2.4 miles north of, 400 feet north of culve	rt,					
300 feet south of second-class road west, 8 fe						
west of road; nail in root of water oak tre						
marked "91.6"		S.	C.	& G.	S	91.60
Rochelle, 3 miles north of, 20 feet west of road forl						
to northwest; nail in root of pine tree, mark						
"88.7"						
Rockdale				-		
Rock Harbor						12.4
Rock Island						
				190		
Rockledge						
Rock Springs, A. C. L. depot		S.	G.	S		75
Rodman, on top of west concrete foundation for ire						
gate post, southeast corner of park; cross in co		~	<i>a</i>		C	0
crete, marked "28.6"		S.	C.	& G.	5	28.37
Rodman, 3.3 miles northeast of, in southeast corner						
crossing of old Palatka-Rodman road and Wilso						
Lumber Co. tramway; iron post stamped "27 Prin		C	C	8- C	C	05 TTO
Trav. Sta. No. 39"		ఎ.	C.	w G.	S	27.110
Rodman, 2.04 miles southeast of, in southeast corner of crossroads, 250 feet south of drain crossing; na						

AUTHORITY. Above Sea LOCALITY. in root of pine tree, marked "21.5" unchecked -- U. S. C. & G. S.- 21.24 Rodman, 3.5 miles east of, 20 feet east of road, pine tree located as primary traverse point, marked "P. T." in large white letters and bearing warning sign marked "21.2"; nail in root, unchecked -- U. S. C. & G. S.- 20.97 Rodman, 4.6 miles southeast of, at Turpentine Landing, 30 feet southeast of road forks to north, 20 feet east of road; iron post stamped "9 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 38" unchecked ______U. S. C. & G. S._ 8.952 Rodman, 4.4 miles northeast of, in southeast angle of road forks to east; nail in root of pine tree, mark_ ed "27.2" _____U. S. C. & G. S._ 26.91 Rodman, 6 miles northeast of, 25 feet southwest of road forks to southwest, 300 feet south of old house at road forks to west; nail in root of pine tree, marked "42.5" _____U. S. C. & G. S. 42.23 Rogers ______F. E. C. Ry.____ 41.7 Roky _____L. & N. R. R.___112.3 Romeo, A. C. L. depot _______U. S. G. S._____ 42 Roseland F. E. C. Ry. 18.6 Rosewood, S. A. L. depot ______U. S. G. S.____ 16 Rosewood, near front of store and post office, inside fence, near west side of front porch; bottom of a square cut in top of an artificial stone post 8 by 8 by 36 inches, buried 30 inches in ground and lettered "U. S. C. &" "G. S. B. M." (C. & G. S. "Rosewood") _____U. S. C. & G. S._ 14.570 Rosewood, about 1.5 miles east of, near second telegraph pole east of mile post 144, 10 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks _____U. S. C. & G. S._ 16.175 Round Lake, maximum elevation near on profile of Atlanta and St. Andrews Bay Railway _____A, & ST. A. B. Rv. _____322 Roy in southeast corner of A. E. Campbell's yard, 150 feet south of railroad crossing; iron post stamped "23 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 10" -----U. S. C. & G. S.- 23.345 Roy, I mile south of, about 600 feet south of secondclass road crossing, 25 feet east of road; nail in root of pine tree, marked 25.4 ------U. S. C. & G. S. 25.48 Roy, 2.7 miles south of, 700 feet south of two-story house, in north angle of road forks to northwest;

iron post stamped "27 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 11" __U. S. C. & G. S._ 27.479

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LOCALITY.	AU'	гн	OR	IT	Y.	Abo	vation ve Sea eet).
Roy, 5 miles south of, in south angle of road forks to southwest; nail in root of pine tree, marked "21.8"	1	S.	C.	&	G.		
Roy, 6.2 miles south of, 6 feet east of road; market "20.2"	1 -U.						
Roy, 7.4 miles south of, 6 feet east of road; nail in root of pine tree, marked "14.2"		S	C.	&	, G	S	14.20
Roy, 8 miles south of, about 1.2 miles north of Schell's Bluff, in northeast angle of T road north; iron	s 1						
post stamped "6Prim, Trav. Sta. No. 12"							
Runnymede	U.						
River bridge	F.	E.	C.	F	₹y		6.7
Grove, 30 meters east of telephone booth, in line with telegraph poles	9	S.	C.	&	G.	S	10.709
Saint Augustine, about 2.7 miles north of, just north	1	=					
of mile post "Jax 34," 8 meters west of Florida East Coast Railway tracks, in line with telegraph							
poles, said mile post 60 meters north of road cross	-U.	s.	C.	&	G.	S	9.363
Saint Augustine, A standard disk bench mark set in the granite coping to sea wall in front of St	•						
Augustine, It is 100 feet north of Capo's whar which is at foot of Hypolita Street. B. M. 9 is							
the surface of the disk at its center. The upper surface of the disk is even with the surface of							
the coping	U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S	6.650
Saint Augustine, Established for temporary use I is the upper surface of a 6od spike driven in the	9						
outer face of the sea wall in front of the city, a the foot of Hypolita Street, just north of Pau							
Capo's wharf. Two other spikes were driven into the wall, at an angle, to support the spike used					,		
as the B. M	U.	S.	C.	&	G.	S	1.175
Saint Augustine, The top slide of a portable staff erected at foot of Hypolita Street. Upon this						١	
B. M. rests the brass angles that are fastened to)						
the staff, when the staff is in position for use The staff was installed in March, 1914		s.	C.	&	G.	S	4.016

					Ele	vation	
	AUTHORITY.			Y.			
Saint Augustine, about six inches from east and south edges of granite coping of sea wall, at corner of entrance to basin opposite plaza; cut (C. & G. S.		C	0	C			
"Fairfield")U Saint Augustine, in vertical face of sea wall about 1.5	. s.	C.	œ	G.	5	7.250	
feet from base 28.2 feet south of wharf; triangle with hole in center (C. & G. S. "Hitchcock")U	. s.	C.	&	G.	S	1.307	
Saint Augustine, in face of sea wall, 1.9 meters below top, few feet south of bench mark A., of wall;			٠				
upper surface of iron rod I inch square (C. & G. S. "Tidal")	. s.	C.	&	G.	S	0.872	
Saint Augustine, near center of top of granite coping of sea wall, 3 feet south of south side of basin opposite plaza; bottom of square cut lettered "U.							
S. C. &" "G. S. B. M." (C. & G. S. "A")U	. s.	C.	&	G.	S	7.046	
Saint Augustine, granite coping of sea wall, near							
southwest corner of sixty- seventh stone south of south side of basin opposite plaza, 107 meters							
south of basin; surface of a smooth place 2 by 2							
inches, lettered "U. S." "B. M." (C. & G. S.							
"B")U	. S.	C.	&	G.	S	6.689	
Saint Augustine, at southeast corner of United States reservation west of Plaza, bottom of square cut in							
top of marble post. Edges of top of post are							
broken off. (C. & G. S. "C")	. S.	C.	&	G.	S	7.896	
Saint Augustine, United States reservation, west of							
west end of customhouse, near building, at center of marble post 8 by 8 inches by 3 feet, buried in							
ground 30 inches; bottom of a square cut lettered							
"U. S. C. &" "G. S. B. M." (C. & G. S. "D"U							
Saint CatherineA							
Saint CloudA Saint Johns River, at mile post 23 on the Okeechobee	. C.	L.	K.	R.		03	
divisionF	. E.	. C.	R	y		16.4	
Saint LeoA							
Saint LucieF							
Saint Lucie River, at mile post 261F Saint MarksS							
Saint Marys River, at crossing of on G. S. & F. Ry.,	. A.	, L.,		у		0	
near Baxter, at mile post 223, Georgia-Florida							
boundary lineG	. S.	&	F.	Ry	VI	11	
Saint Marys River, at crossing of near St. George, Ga., on the G. S. & F. Ry., between mile posts							
235 and 236G	. S.	&	F.	Ry	7	50	

LOCALITY.	AUTHORITY. Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Saint NicholasSaint NicholasSaint Petersburg	U. S. G. S 25
SalernoSalt Lake	F. E. C. Ry 11.4 U. S. Army
Salt Lake Run	Engrs., 1903 7
Sampson, about 100 meters north of the booth, meters east of Florida East Coast Railway track in line with telegraph poles	ks, U. S. C. & G. S 37.756
Sampson, about 2½ miles northwest of, on F. E. Ry. Sampson City	. U. S. G. S 40
San AntonioSandersonSanderson, about 50 meters east of the station, 8 m	A. C. L. R. R165 S. A. L. Ry154.6
ters north of the Seaboard Air Line Railwatracks, in line with telegraph polesSanderson, about 3 miles west of, at mile post CI6	ay U. S. C. & G. S156.529
8 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railw tracks, in line with telegraph polesSanderson, about 6 miles west of, at mile post CI6 in line with telegraph poles, 8 meters north	U. S. C. & G. S167.631
Seaboard Air Line Railway tracksSanfordSanford	U. S. C. & G. S174.002 A. C. L. R. R 20
San Mateo San Mateo San Pablo San Pablo Sarta Fe Santos, S. A. L. depot Sapp	U. S. G. S 66 F. E. C. Ry 11.3 U. S. G. S 9 A. C. L. R. R 45 U. S. G. S 69
Satsuma, 150 feet west of station, in southwest corn of yard, 50 feet east of railroad track; iron postamped "78 Prim Trav. Sta. No. 15"Satsuma, 1,1 miles southwest of, at top of rise, 3 feet south of house, 10 feet east of road; nail	er ost U. S. C. & G. S 78.664 oo
root of water oak tree, marked "93.4"	_U. S. C. & G. S 93.63

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LOCALITY.		THORI	TY.	Above Sea (feet).
Satsuma, 2.8 miles southwest of, in southwest corner road forks, 150 feet southeast of schoolhou		-		
near signboard 'Satsuma 2½ mi., Sisco 2 mi., "6				
feet north of Nashua post office; nail in root	of			
tree, marked "87.8"		S. C. 8	& G.	S 87.99
Satsuma, 4.3 miles southwest of, in southeast corn of road crossing; nail in root of large pine tr				
marked "31.1"		S. C.	& G	S 31.30
Satsuma, 5.3 miles southwest of, 75 feet northwest				
entrance to Oakwood Cemetery, in sharp angle				
road to west; nail in root of pine tree, mark		S C	₹G.	S 24.73
Saxton, 400 feet north of railroad crossing, 30 fe		2. 0.		
west of Seaboard Air Line Ry., track, 50 fe				
northeast of one-story frame dwelling, on ou corner of fence; iron post stamped "165 Pri				
Trav. Sta. 69"		S. C.	& G.	S164.403
*Saxton 4.2 miles west of, 8 feet west of Starke-Sa	n-			
derson road, 150 feet north of mail boxes 26 a				
27, in southwest corner of second-class road cro ing, at corner of picket fence, 100 feet northe				
of one story frame dwelling; iron post stamp				
"141 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 70"		S. C.	& G.	S139.354
*Saxton, 5.4 miles west of, 50 feet south of sha turn of road to west; nail in root of pine tr				
marked "149"		S. C.	& G.	S147.30
*Saxton, 6.2 miles west of, 50 feet south of ro	ad			•
forks to southeast, 100 feet southeast of culve		c c	۰ ،	C
nail in root of pine tree, marked "139.1"*Saxton, 7.2 miles west of, on Starke-Raiford road,		S. C.	αG.	513/.51
northwest angle of road to north, 400 feet e	ast			
of house, about same distance southeast of m				
- box No. 44; iron post stamped "139 Prim Ti Sta. No. 71"		S. C.	& G.	S137,205
Saxton, 8.6 miles west of, 400 feet southeast of ro	oad			0. 0
forks, 200 feet west of Anderbilt schoolhouse				
feet west of road; nail in root of pine tree, mark		S. C.	& G.	S140.50
*Saxton, 9.6 miles west of, in west corner of cro	ss-		-	
roads, 300 feet west of house; nail in root of p		C . C.	° C	C - 106-
*Saxton, 10.8 miles west of, on Starke-Lake But		S. C.	αG.	5140.05
road, about 7 miles west of Starke, in west an				
of road to southwest; iron post stamped "				

Elevation AUTHORITY. Above Sea LOCALITY. (feet). Prim. Trav Sta. No. 72" ______U. S. C. & G. S._147.854 Schells Bluff, I mile northwest of, in northeast angle of road forks southwest, 25 feet east of road; nail in root of pine tree, marked "10.2" _____U. S. C. & G. S._ 10.33 Schells Bluff, 2.1 miles northwest of, 300 feet south of second-class road west, 30 feet west of road; nail in root of pine tree, marked "17.5" _____U. S. C. & G. S._ 17.65 Schells Bluff, 2.5 miles northwest of, 50 feet south of creek, in southeast corner of sharp turn in road to east, in inner corner of fence; iron post stamped "12 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 13" _____U. S. C. & G. S._ 12.014 Schells Bluff, 3.6 miles northwest of, 6 feet east of road; nail in root of dead-top pine, marked "25.4" U. S. C. & G. S. 25.55 Schells Bluff, 4.7 miles northwest of, 6 feet east of road and 30 feet south of forks, 100 feet east of lake; nail in root of pine tree, marked "27.4" __U. S. C. & G. S._ 27.52 Schells Bluff, 5.9 miles northwest of, 6 feet south of road; nail in root of pine tree, marked "29.5" ____U. S. C. & G. S._ 29.66 Schells Bluff, 7.3 miles northwest of, 300 feet west of road forks to southwest, 6 feet north of road; nail in root of pine tree, marked "22.2" _____U. S. C. & G. S._ 22.34 Schells Bluff, 8.6 miles northwest of, about 1.2 miles south of San Mateo, 200 feet north of bridge over creek, 20 feet east of road; iron post stamped "15 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 14" ______U. S. C. & G. S._ 15.351 Schells Bluff, 0.0 miles northwest of, about 1.5 miles east of bridge over Dunn's Creek, 20 feet east of road; nail in root of pine tree, marked "13" ____U. S. C. & G. S._ 13.18 Schells Bluff, 11.3 miles northwest of, on northeast abutment of bridge over Dunn's Creek; chiseled square in concrete marked "3.90" _____U. S. C & G. S._ 4.14 Sebastian ______F. E. C. Ry.____ 21.3 Sebastian River, between mile posts 212 and 213 ____F. E. C. Ry.____ 17.5 Sedalia _____A. N. R. R.___218 Seffner ______A, C. L. R. R.___ 74 Sellman'A, C, L, R, R,.... 45 Seville ______A. C. L. R. R.___ 53 Sharon _____G. S. F. Ry.___153 Sharpes ______F. E. C. Ry.____ 36.6 Shiloh ______ F. E. C. Ry.___ 8.3 Shingle Creek ______A. C. L. R. R.___ 79.6 Silver Springs, S. A. L. depot ______U. S. G. S.____ 47

Silver Springs Junction _______U. S. G. S._____ 65

LOCALITY,	AU.	гног	RITY.	Abox	vation ve Sea et).
Simpson Branch	_L.	& N.	R. R	Т.	08
Sims Creek, Putnam County, about 3.4 miles west o					90
Bostwick, center of bridge over; marked "33.4" -		S. C.	& G.	S.	22 /
Sisco					
Six-Mile Creek, Duval County, between mile post					
256 and 257 on the G. S. & F. Ry		S. &	F. R	v	12
Skinner, about 134 miles east of Bowden, Duva				.,	
County		S. G	S		21
Smith Bridge, across St. Marys River, about 51/2 mile					
north of Macclenny		S. G	. S		00
Snake Creek, Monroe County, between mile posts 43					,
and 438		E. C	. Rv.	•	TT.3
Sneads	_L.	& N.	R. F	I	14.8
South Jacksonville.					
South Jacksonville, in the south face of the Thoma					1.5
building, on the southeast corner of, at Louis					
Street and Myrtle Avenue		S. C.	& G.	S	9.350
South Jacksonville, in the west face of the Bank o					J.03-
South Jacksonville, on the northeast corner of, a					
Hendricks Avenue and St. Johns Avenue		S. C.	& G.	S	0.003
South Side					
Spanish Harbor					
Spencer, A. C. L. depot					
Spring Garden					
Spring Glen					
Spring Hill					
Springside					
Springside, 150 feet southwest of railroad crossing, a					
southeast corner of L. M. Upchurche's store; iron					
post stamped "14 Prim Trav. Sta. No. 14"		S. C.	& G.	S	13.520
Springside, o.8 mile west of, at second-class railroad					
crossing; joint of north rail, marked "16"		S. C.	& G.	S :	16.0
Spruce Creek, Volusia County, 276 feet north of, a					
mile post 119		E. C	Ry.		8.9
Spuds	F.	E. C	. Ry.	:	24.0
Stanton	_A.	C. L.	R. R	8	33
Starke	_S.	A. L	. Ry.	I	50
Starke, 30 meters southwest of station, 12 meters eas					
of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks, 4 meter			٢		
north of railroad crossing sign, in line with tele	- esilet	и			
graph poles		S. C.	& G.	S10	64.950
Statens					
Steckert					

LOCALITY.	ΑU	тн	OR	ITY.	Abo	vation ve Sea eet).
Still Creek, Leon County, between mile posts 149 an						
150	_S.	Ά.	L.	Ry.		66.9
Stuart	_F.	E.	C.	Ry.		14.9
Sumatra	A.	N	. R	. R.		22
Summerfield						
Summerville	_L.	&	N.	R. R	2	241.8
Sumner, S. A. L. depot		S.	G.	S		9
Sumner, 26 meters west of station, 30 meters south						
east of mile post 148 and 14 meters south of Sea		C	C	e. C	C	
board Air Line Railway tracks						
Sunbeam		E.	C.	Ry.	`	26.4
Sunbeam, 30 meters north of station, 10 meters eas						
of Florida East Coast Railway tracks, in line wit		S	C	8- C	C	25 28T
telegraph poics					٥	25.301
Sunset Lake	_]	Eng	rs	TOO	3	TO
Suwannee						
Suwannee River bridge near Ellaville						
Suwannee River bridge near White Springs						
Suwannee Valley						
Svea	L.	& :	N. :	R. R	2	41
Swift Creek, Hamilton County, between mile posts 19						
and 196					•	
Tallahassee	₋G.	F.	&	A R	y	80.6
Tallahassee						•
Tallahassee, switch point of St. Marks branch						
Tallahassee, at G. F. & A. Ry., crossing		A.	L.	Ry.		64.6
Tallahassee, in the southwest footing of the S. A. L						
Ry., water tank near the passenger station; bench						
mark is the top of an iron anchor bolt marked		-	~		<u> </u>	
by a cross		S.	C. (ÝG.	S	80.269
Tallahassee, in the southeast corner of the Suprem-		~	~			00
Court Building		5.	C. (Ý G.	SI	88.110
Tallahassee, in the northeast corner of the State		C	C .	2- C	S 0	T 4 00T
Tallahassee, in the southeast corner of the brick building used by the State Savings Bank		5.	C. (x G.	S2	10.040
Tallahassee, about 7 miles east of, at mile post 158						
8 meters north of the Seaboard Air Line Railway						
trackstracks		S.	C. 8	& G.	S	49.000
Tallahassee, about 3½ miles east of, about a half mile			`			-
east of mile post 162; 13 feet east of a road cross-						
ing; 26 feet north of the S. A. L. Ry., tracks		S.	C. 8	G.	S 8	39.386

LOCALITY.	AUTHO	RITY. Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Tallahassee, about four miles west of, no	ear private	(2000).
road crossing, about ½ mile west of	mile post	
169; 26 feet north of S. A. L. Ry., trac		. & G. S 65.968
Tallahassee, about 71/2 miles west of, near		
road crossing, about 1-3 mile west of		
172, 26 feet south of S. A. L. Ry., trac		. & G. S135.836
Tallahassee, about 31/2 miles northwest of		1
gia, Florida and Alabama Railway sta		1
1,344 feet northwest of mile post 53; 98		
of a private road crossing; 30 feet nort	h of G. F.	
& A. Ry., tracks. Concrete post		. & G. S 89.353
Tallahassee, about seven miles northwest of		
of a railroad cut, 26 feet north of G. F.		
tracks. Concrete post		. & G. S104.147
Tallahassee, about 101/2 miles northwest of,		
mile northwest of mile post 60, 26 fee		
G. F. & A. Ry., tracks; at west end		
cut. Concrete post		. & G. S113.950
Tampa		
Tarpon Springs		
Tarrytown		
Tavares		
Tavernier		
Tavernier Creek, Monroe County, between		o,,
432 and 433		. Rv 10.0
Taylor Branch, Okeechobee County, Betv	zeen mile	
posts 123 and 124 on the Okeechobee		. Rv 50.2
Taylor Creek, Okeechobee County, between		,
135 and 136 on the Okeechobee divisio		. Rv 20.0
Teasdale, railroad crossing; top of rail		
Telogia	A. N. I	R. R116
Telogia Creek, south crossing of A. N. R.	RA. N. 1	R. R 45
Telogia Creek, north crossing of A. N. R. I		
Theressa		
*Theressa, 150 feet south of railroad static	n, 30 feet	,
southwest of railroad crossing, at northe		0
of one-story dwelling house; iron pos		
"168 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 80"		. & G. S166.181
*Theressa, 0.8 mile east of, in southeast con		
tersection of Starke-Melrose and There		
Lake roads; nail in root of pine stum	p, marked	
"I64.2"		. & G. S162.66
*Theressa, 2.1 miles east of, 25 feet nort		
forks to southeast; iron post stamped '		
Trav. Sta. No. 81"		. & G. S180.837

LOCALITY.	AU	THOR	RITY.	Abov	
*Theressa, 3.3 miles east of, 150 feet north of roa	ıd			(1e	et).
forks, 10 feet east of road; nail in root of charre	ed	C C	۰ ۵		
pine stump, marked "188.7"		S. C.	& G.	518	37.11
Thomas Creek, Duval County, between mile posts 24		C 0			
and 249 on the G. S. & F. Ry					
Thonotosassa	_A.	C. L.	R. R		10
Tibbals	_F.	E. C	. Rv		3 T
Tiger Lake, Polk County,	-U.	S. Ar	mv		<i>J</i> -
			, 1882		50
Tildenville	_ A	C I.	RR	;)9 100
Tillman	F	E C	R _v		78 n
Tisonia, 70 meters north of station, 50 meters sout	h	D. C	. <u>-</u>		10.0
of mile post 17, 18 meters east of Seaboard A)		
Line Railway tracks	TT	SC	8- C	c .	20.216
Titusville					
		E. C	. Ку		14.8
Tocoi Junction, yard of residence of Mr. H. Wood					
near southeast corner of house, at center of a					
tificial stone post 8 by 8 inches in cross section					
and 3 feet long, projecting 6 inches above surface					
and lettered "U. S. B. M."; square cut (C. & C	J.			~	
S. "E")					
Tohopkee		E. C	. Ry	7	78.7
Tomoka River, Volusia County, between mile post					
101 and 102			-		
Toms Harbor					
Toronto					
Trilby					
Tsala Apopka Lake					
Tulane					
Turkey Creek		A. L.	Ry	8	37
Turkey Creek, Brevard County, between mile post					
197 and 198		E. C	. Ry	1	17.5
Turnbull Bay, Volusia County, between mile post	ts				
121 and 122	F.	E. C.	. Ry		8.7
Tuscawilla Lake	U.	S. G.	S	8	30 .
Twin Oaks	_F.	E. C.	. Ry	4	17.8
Valkaria	-F.	E. C.	. Ry	1	0.13
Valle	_L.	& N.	R. I	2 6	54.3
Varnes					
Verdie, S. A. L. depot	_U.	S. G.	S	7	75
Vero	-F.	E. C.	. Ry	1	19.5
Vero, drainage canal north of					
Volusia	_F.	E. C.	. Ry	3	32.0

LOCALITY.				Elevat Above (feet	Sea).
Wabasso	_F.	E. 0	C. Ry	20.	.5
Waccassassa River					
Wade					
Wainwright					
Wakulla					
Waldo					
Waldo, 30 meters west and 12 meters north of station			•		
8 meters east of street, 15 meters from corner of					
Waldo Hotel, on Seaboard Air Line Railwa					
right of way		S. C	. & 0	S. S155	.252
Waldo, southeast corner of school building; iron pos					
stamped 'Prim. Tray. Sta. No. 57'		S. C	. & 0	S156.	.430
Waldo, about 3 miles northeast of, 100 meters nort					
of mile post 82, 20 meters west of Seaboard A					
Line Railway track; in line with telegraph pole		ŧ			
near road crossing		S. C	. & (6. S141	.807
Waldo, 7.9 miles southeast of, 10 feet north of roa		,			
forks to southwest, about 1.5 miles northwest of					
Melrose; nail in root of pine tree,		S. C	. & G	. S145.	31
*Waldo, 1.2 miles southeast of, 600 feet east of culver					
in east corner of road forks to northeast; nail i	in				
root of pine tree, marked "142.5"	_U.	S. C	2. & 0	G. S142	.55
*Waldo, 2.2 miles southeast of, in northeast angle of	of				
road forks, 250 feet south of house; nail in roo	ot				
of water oak tree, marked "157.4"	U.	S. C	C. & C	G. S157	•54
*Waldo, 3.4 miles southeast of, in southeast corner of					
crossroads, at southwest corner of church; ire					
post stamped "171 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 58"	U.	S. C	. & (G. S171	.133
*Waldo, 4.6 miles southeast of, 100 feet north of	of				
crossroads, 10 feet east of road and 150 feet north					
of fence corner; nail in root of pine tree, marke					
"I 56.2"		S. C	C. &	G. S15	6.28
*Waldo, 5.8 miles southeast of, in southwest angle of					
road to east; nail in root of pine tree, marke	ed		4		
"190"		S. C	. & 0	3. S. - 190	.II
*Waldo, 6.8 miles southeast of, in northwest angle of					
road forks to west, about 3 miles northwest of					
Melrose; iron post stamped "188 Prim Trav. St					
No. 59"				л. S188	.457
Walk in the Water Lake, Polk County				0	
Ward City	<u> </u>	Engr	S., 18	82 68	
Walton ————————————————————————————————————					
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AUTHORITY. Above Sea (feet).

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Watertown, about I mile east of, near mile post C153,
8 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railway
tracksU. S. C. & G. S201.34
WauchulaA. C. L. R. R107
WebsterA. C. L. R. R 89
Wekiva RiverA. C. L. R. R 29
Wekiva River, north forkA. C. L. R. R 29
Welaka, in southwest angle of two cross streets, corner
of Winston Steven's yard; iron post stamped "27
Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 16"U. S. C. & G. S 26.880
Welaka, I.I miles east of, in southeast corner of se-
cond-class road crossing; nail in root of water oak
tree, marked "53.2"U. S. C. & G. S. 53.36
Welaka, 3 miles east of, at top of hill, 300 feet east
of crossroads, 15 feet north of road; nail in root
of water oak tree, marked "55.5"U. S. C. & G. S. 55.70
Welaka, 3.9 miles east of, in northeast angle of cross-
roads, about 1.5 miles west of Pomona; nail in
root of pine tree, marked "66.7"U. S. C. & G. S 66.85
WelbornS. A. L. Ry192.7
Welborn, 50 meters northwest of Seaboard Air Line
Railway station, 10 meters south of trackU. S. C. & G. S. 192.71
Welborn, about 3 miles west of, near mile post C135,
8 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Railway
tracksU. S. C. & G. S186.43
Welshton, A. C. L. depotU. S. G. S 82
West FarmS. A. L. Ry103.8
West Farm, 30 meters west of Seaboard Air Line
Railway station, 6 meters south of main trackU. S. U. & G. S104.98
West JupiterF. E. C. Ry 9
West Palm BeachF. E. C. Ry 20.4
West TocoiA. C. L. R. R 12
WestvilleL. & N. R. R 64.3
White CityF. E. C. Ry 32.5
White HouseS. A. L. Ry 80.9
White House, about 4 miles west of, near mile post
C194, 6 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Rail-
way tracksU. S. C. & G. S. 85.20
White House, 22 meters west of station, 7 meters
south of Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks, near
railway crossing signU. S. C. & G. S. 85.15
White SpringsG. S. & F. Ry126
Whitesville, A. C. L. depotU. S. G. S122

LOCALITY. AUTHORITY. Elevation Above Sea (feet).
Wilcox JunctionA. C. L. R. R 24.0
Wildwood S. A. L. Ry 58
WilliamsonL. & N. R. R226
WilmaA, N. R. R 62
WindermereA. C. L. R. R119.8
Windsor, in northeast corner of crossroads; iron post
stamped "114 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 52"U. S. C. & G. S114.293
Windsor, 1.32 miles northwest of, 6 feet north of road;
nail in root of pine tree, marked "83"U. S. C. & G. S 83.05
Windsor, 2.9 miles northwest of, 300 feet south of
drain, 10 feet west of road; nail in root of pine
tree, marked "80.1"U. S. C. & G. S. 80.13
Windsor, 3.6 miles northwest of, 300 feet west of
west end of bridge over Big Hatchet Creek, in
northeast corner of T road north; iron post stamp-
ed "78 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 53"U. S. C. & G. S 77.743
Windsor, 4.7 miles northwest of, 25 feet south of road,
100 feet southeast of drain; nail in root of pine
tree, marked "95.9"
Windsor, 5.4 miles northwest of, in southeast angle of
road forks to south, 600 feet north of house;
iron post stamped "115 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 54" _U. S. C. & G. S115.423
WinfieldG. S. & F. Ry148
WinnG. S. & F. Ry137
WinstonA. C. L. R. R139
Winter GardenA. C. L. R. R123
Winter Park
WoodburnG. S. & F. Ry 16
Woodburn, 5.7 miles northwest of, 50 feet west of
road forks, about 500 feet northwest of old shack; nail in root of red oak tree marked, "92.4"U. S. C & G. S 92.44
Woodburn, 6.6 miles northwest of, in south angle of
road forks south, 100 feet east of bridge over
Sims Creek. (Bench mark set by a canal survey
of the War Department; it is a pile of concrete
with a tin can at the top. In center of can is a
nail marked "U. S. B. M."U. S. C. & G. S 50.76
Woodburn, 7.7 miles northwest of, in southwest corner
of crossroads, 600 feet southeast of house; nail
in root of pine tree, marked "112.1"U. S. C. & G. S112.11
Woodburn, 8.9 miles northwest of, 100 feet southwest
of creek crossing, 12 feet south of road; iron post
stamped "72 Prim. Trav. Sta. 25"U. S. C. & G. S 71.623

LOCALITY.	AU	THO	DRI	TY	· .	Abo	vation ve Sea
Woodburn, 10.3 miles northwest of, in southeast angle of road forks to northeast; nail in root of red oa	k						
tree, marked "126.5"Woodburn, 11.8 miles west of, 6 feet north of road	1,	S.	C.	& (Э.	S1	26.44
about 0.2 mile northeast of Florahome-Palatk road; nail in root of water oak, marked "91"	_U.	S.	C.	& (G.	S	91.00
Woodburn, 30 feet south of railroad crossing, at in side corner of wire fence, west of road; iron pos	st						
stamped "15 Prim. Trav. Sta. No. 19" Woodburn, 1.4 miles north of, 150 feet south of cross	; -	S.	C.	& (G.	S	14.600
roads, 10 feet east of road; nail in root of pin	. U.	S.	C.	& (G.	S	24.67
Woodburn, 2.6 miles north of, in southwest angle of road forks south; nail in root of pine tree, market	đ						
"31.5"	r	S.	C.	& (G.	S	31.50
of road crossing, about 2 miles north of Carrawa station; iron post stamped "89 Prim. Trav. Sta	a.						
No. 20" Woodland, opposite switch stand at south end of side		S.	C.	& (G.	S	88.654
ing, 10 meters west of Florida East Coast Rai way tracks, near private road crossing	LU.						
Woodstock Woodville							
Worthington Springs Wyllie, about 3.5 miles northeast of, near mile pos	_A.						
140, 9 meters north of Seaboard Air Line Rail way tracks	l-	C	C	8- I	G	S	16 171
Ybor City	_A.	C.	L.	R.	R.		20
YamatoYelvington							
Yelvington	_U.	S.	G.	S			32
York, A. C. L. depotYniestra							
Yulee, about 2.7 miles south of, 200 meters north of shack in clump of trees on north side of a larg							
swamp, 12 meters east of Seaboard Air Line Rai	l-	S	C	8-	G	ς	IT 204
Yulee, 70 meters east of railway water tank, 17 meter	·s	٥.	0.	a	٥.	.,.	11.204
northeast of the Savannah-Jacksonville line an 35 meters southeast of the Baldwin-Fernandin	a					_	
line of the Seaboard Air Line RailwayZellwood							
Zolfo Springs	_A.	C.	L.	R.	R.		бі
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GEOLOGIC SECTIONS ACROSS THE EVERGLADES OF FLORIDA.

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The Everglades of Florida include an area extending from Lake Okeechobee nearly to the southern end of the Florida Peninsula and from within a few miles of the Atlantic coast to the head waters of the Caloosahatchee River, or approximately 90 miles north and south and 45 or 50 miles east and west. Although the borders are somwhat indefinite, particularly to the south and southwest, the Everglades include in all 4,000 or 5,000 square miles. The greater part of this area is covered with an accumulation of muck or peat to a depth of several feet, and with the exception of occasional wooded islands supports a dense growth of saw grass (Cladium effusum). The muck being soft and partly submerged, and the grass not easily penetrated, travel through the Everglades has heretofore been difficult. Moreover, on account of the presence of this muck there was almost no opportunity to examine the underlying formation, and such geological observations as were made previous to the drainage operations in this section, were confined largely to the borders, the interior being practically unknown to the geologist. At the present time, however, owing to the extensive excavations that have been made by the State of Florida in connection with the drainage operations, this area is not only accessible, but affords exceptionally favorable opportunity for geologic studies. The canals now extend directly across the area forming a complete section in which the formations may be seen, either in place along the canal, or as thrown out on the bank by the dredge. The deposits are highly fossiliferous and afford a new and extremely interesting collecting ground. Moreover, owing to the lowering of the water, the rock forming the basin of Lake Okeechobee now projects above water in one or two places, thus affording the first opportunity of examining the substructure of this large area of over 700 square miles which heretofore has been concealed by the waters of this lake.*

The geologic section which is here described extends from the Gulf of Mexico to the Atlantic Ocean. The line of the section follows the Caloosahatchee River to Fort Thompson, 50 miles; thence through the canals and small lakes in a general easterly direction to Lake Okeechobee about 25 miles. From Lake Okeechobee the section follows the North New River Canal in a south easterly direction to New River, 57 miles; thence to the Atlantic Ocean about 8 miles: or a total distance from the Gulf to the Atlantic of 135 miles. The oldest formations found in this section lie at the west or Gulf side, while the newer formations lie on the east, and hence as a matter of convenience the section will be described from west to east. Large collections of fossils, as well as lithologic samples of the formations were made which are available for subsequent study. In making the examination of the exposures along the canals and in Lake Okeechobee a small launch was used, placed at the writer's disposal for that purpose through the courtesy of the State Drainage Commission.

THE SUB-STRUCTURE OF THE EVERGLADES.

The Eocene limestones which are extensively exposed north and west of the Everglades underlie that area although they are not seen at the surface. At Fort Meade, about 100 miles northwest of Lake Okeechobee, limestones as shown by well drillings, lie at a depth of 410 feet from the surface while on the Atlantic Coast, similar limestones as shown by well records at Palm Beach lie not less than 900 feet from the surface, indicating, a general eastward dip, although possibly with local variations. At Key West about 100 miles southwest of the southern border of the Everglades, this limestone lies at a depth of about 700 feet from

^{*}The area of Lake Okeechobee at stage of water 20 feet above sea, is 730 square miles, at 16 feet, 710 square miles. Report of Florida Everglades Commission, p. 10, 1913, Senate Document No. 379. With the exception of Lake Michigan it is thus the largest fresh water lake lying wholly within the United States.

the surface.* This data is consistent with other data available indicating a general south and east dip of the formations. The Oligocene and Miocene formations are somewhat difficult to recognize in well samples, but the fact that these formations lie at the surface along the Gulf coast as far south as Polk and Manatee counties, and are also believed to be represented in the wells on the Atlantic coast, leads to the reasonable conclusion that they also underlie the Everglades although at a considerable depth. The depth at which these formations are to be expected is a matter of importance to the agricultural and industrial development of the Everglades country, since the limestones include the principal water bearing strata of the State, and supply the greater part of the artesian water of peninsula Florida.

At Palm Beach on the east coast Miocene deposits are believed to have been reognized at a depth of 400 feet, while in a well at Knights Key the Miocene appeared to be present at from about 180 to 420 feet.* From its known distribution on the Atlantic coast it seems probable that the Miocene underlies the Everglades resting upon the Eocene or Oligocene. In this connection also it should be noted that the Miocene has been somewhat doubtfully identified as occurring near Caloosa, on the Caloosahatchee River west of the Everglades.;

SURFACE FORMATIONS OF THE EVERGLADES. CALOOSAHATCHEE MARL

With the possible exception of the Miocene exposure near Caloosa, the oldest deposits in the section here described are the Pliocene deposits known as the Caloosahatchee marl, the surface outcrop of which is found along the Caloosahatchee River and hence west of the Everglades. This formation, being readily accessible, has long been known to geologists and has been fully described in earlier papers.†† Angelo Heilprin, who in company

^{*}Fla. State Geol. Sur. Second Annual Report, pp. 204-206, 1909.

[†]Fla. Geol. Survey, Sec. Ann. Rept., p. 122, 1909. ††Heilprin, Wagner Free Inst., Vol. 1, p. 32, 1887. Dall Wm. H. U. S. Geol.

^{††}Heilprin, Wagner Free Inst., Vol. 1, p. 32, 1887. Dall Wm. H. U. S. Geol. Bull. 84, p. 147, 1892. Matson and Clapp, Fla. State Geol. Surv. Second Annual Report, p. 126, 1909.

with Joseph Willcox, visited this locality in 1886, refers to this formation as follows.* "This is without question the most remarkable fossiliferous deposit that has as yet been discovered in the State, and from a purely paleontological standpoint, perhaps, the most significant in the entire United States east of the Mississippi River. The fossils, which are about equally distributed between both banks, crop out in almost countless numbers, and attract attention, apart from their prodigious development, by their great variety, large size, and beautiful state of preservation. The whole bank much resembles a fossil shell-beach, and recalled to my mind the wall of shells extending from Little Sarasota Inlet to Casey's Pass." At Fort Thompson this marl passes beneath later formations from which it is separated by a well marked unconformity which is best seen in the exposures along the river between Labelle and Fort Thompson. The following section is seen at a cut-off between two bends in the river about one-half mile below Fort Thompson. The section as given here was made by the writer in 1908.

SECTION ONE-HALF MILE BELOW FORT THOMPSON.

- 8. Sand and soil at top of bank about 2 feet.
- 7. Shell marl in which Chione cancellata predominates 2 feet.
- 6. Shell marl in which fresh water gastropods predominate 2 feet.
- 5. Shell marl, marine shells 1/2 foot.
- 4. Unconformity.
- 3. Calcareous stratum weathering rough on exposure containing Pliocene tossils 3 feet.
 - 2. Shell marl with Pliocene fossils I foot.
 - I. Blue sandy clay marl with few fossils to the waters edge 3 feet.

An examination of the banks above and below this locality shows that while the details of the section vary, the unconformity is persistent and is well marked. As illustrating local variation it may be noted that a few rods down stream from the point from which this section was made, the marine shell (No. 5) is lacking, the fresh water marl being the first member above the unconformity, while about one-fourth mile down stream clay lenses as

^{*}Trans. Wagner Free Inst. Sci., Vol. 1, p. 28, 1887.

much as two feet in thickness, containing broken vertebrate remains fill in the irregularities at the top surface of the Caloosahatchee marl. Just above Labelle the shell marl (No.2) is absent, the calcareous stratum resting upon the blue sandy clay marl. The unconformity, however, is plainly seen being indicated at this locality by well worn rock fragments.

The extension of the Caloosahatchee marls to the northeast has been shown by collections made by Mr. H. G. Hayes from the banks of the St. Lucie Canal northeast of Lake Okeechobee.

FORT THOMPSON BEDS.

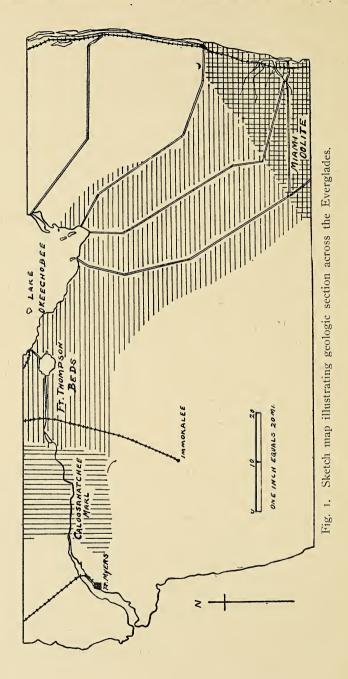
While the deposits lying above the Caloosahatchee Marl in the vicinity of Labelle and Fort Thompson have been referred to by several writers they have not previously been described in detail owing, perhaps, to imperfect exposures. The excavations that have now been made, however, afford the opportunity of examining these deposits at several localities between Fort Thompson and Lake Okeechobee, as well as in the Everglades. The following section of these deposits is found just below Goodno's Landing, Fort Thompson.

- 3. Fresh water limestone 2 feet.
- 2. Marine shell marl 1/2 foot.
- 1. Fresh water shell marl 3 feet.

The Caloosahatchee marl, as may be seen by continuing the section down stream, either lies immediately below the fresh water shell marl, No. 1, of the section, or is separated from that marl by a marine shell marl. By continuing the section up stream it is found that a marine shell marl rests upon the fresh water limestone, and that this in turn gives place to a fresh water marl.

To these deposits consisting of alternating fresh and brackish water and marine marls and limestones is here applied the term, the Fort Thompson Beds, the type exposure of which is at Fort Thompson.

The fresh water limestone of this formation was referred by



Heilprin to the post-Pliocene*. Of the fossils Heilprin says "All the molluscan forms occuring in the limestone are indentical with the species now living in the river". Dall writing is 1887 agrees with Heilprin in referring the limestone to the Quarternary, but in a subsequent paper †† expresses the view that this is Pliocene. stating that the Planorbis rock "contains only extinct species or recent species also common to the Pliocene marl." The shell mark above the Planorbis rock was, however, still referred by Dall to the Quaternary. Dall has not given a list of the fossils on which the reference of these beds to the Pliocene is based, the few forms mentioned by him, including Planorbis Physa and Chione cancellata, are either long range forms, or being only generically determined, lack stratigraphic value. By far the most abrupt break in this section both in lithology and in fauna is that occuring at the unconformity that has been described which clearly marks the top surface of the Caloosahatchee marl, and unless the fossils above the unconformity are shown conclusively to be Pliocene, it is natural to assume that this stratigraphic break marks the dividing line in this section between the Pliocene and the Pleistocene.

COFFEE MILL HAMMOCK MARL.

Lying upon the fresh water limestone, No. 3 of the preceding section, is a shell marl, the maximum observed thickness of which is about two feet. Although removed by erosion at the rapids this marl is very persistent. It is seen in place at Goodno's Landing, Fort Thompson, and at Coffee Mill Hammock, twelve miles above Labelle. The predominating fossil is *Chione cancellata*, shells of which have been thrown out in great profusion by the dredge.

LAKE FLIRT MARL.

The Coffee Mill Hammock shell marl is succeeded by a marl which is strickingly different both in lithologic appearance and in the fossils which it contains. The marl consists of a calcareous

^{*}L. C. p. 32

[†]Amer. Jour. Sci. (3) Vol. 34, p. 169, 1887.

^{††}U. S. Geol. Sur. Bull. 84, p. 144, 1892.

mud in which the fresh water shells chiefly gastropods are imbedded. This stratum has a thickness of three or four feet and is best seen underlying the basin of Lake Flirt from Old Fort Thompson to Coffee Mill Hammock, a distance of about eight miles. This marl is of fresh water origin, and may be quite recent in age.

LIMESTONES IN LAKE OKEECHOBEE

Within Lake Okeechobee there is apparently a reef of rock extending in a general northwest-southeast direction between Observation and Rita islands. At a point about 5 miles southeast of Observation Island the rock of this reef now stands above water at intervals for a mile or so, the maximum exposure at the present low water stage being about two feet. At the surface this limestone is quite hard, or is streaked in a characteristic manner with alternate hard and soft layers. Beneath the surface, however the rock is a rather soft oolitic marl or limestone of granular texture and light yellow color. The hard phase of this limestone is much like the limestone found in the canal three miles west of Lake Hicpochee, while a thin stratum of a similar limestone is found near the surface at Coffee Mill Hammock. A few pieces of the marl phase of this limestone seem also to have been brought up from the lake at the entrance of the north New River canal.

From the canals leading out of Lake Okeechobee to the south and southeast for a distance of about 25 miles very little rock has as yet been removed. Such fragments as are seen along the canals, however, represent very hard compact fresh-water limestones. On the North New River canal dredging of the heavy limestone begins about 26 miles from Lake Okeechobee. The rock cut through on this part of the canal consists of a very hard compact close-grained limestone which breaks with a sharp fracture and will evidently make valuable concrete material. The same limestone is cut into on the south canal at 24 miles from the Lake. The very hard phase of this rock is a fresh-water limestone. As found on the banks of the canal, however, marine and fresh water limestones and marls are intermixed, indicating that there, as elswhere, the formation includes alternating fresh water and marine deposits. Pieces of this fresh water limestone are found on the North River canal as far as 42 miles from the Lake, although for the last three

or four miles of this distance the heavy limestone stratum gives place largely to marls. It seems very probable that the deposits cut through in this part of the Everglades represents the eastward extent of the Fort Thompson Limestone with its associated fresh water and marine shell marls.

MIAMI FORMATIONS.

Another limestone seen on the North New River Canal is cut into by the dredge at a distance of about 42 miles from Lake Okeechobee. This limestone is granular and is more or less distinctly oolitic in structure and is not so hard as that seen nearer the lake. The surface of this rock becomes very rough on exposure presenting a characteristic matted appearance. This rock is seen in the canal to within 9 miles of Fort Lauderdale (52 miles from Lake Okeechobee). Until its extent and thickness are more definitely known, this limestone is, perhaps, best regarded as a member of the Miami formation, the typical representative of which, is the Miami oolitic limestone which is found at the surface in the vicinity of Miami.

The typical Miami oolitic limestone is first seen in this canal about 6 miles from Fort Lauderdale (55 miles from Lake Okeechobee). For about 3 miles above this point no rock is found in the canal banks, only sand being reached by the dredge. The absence of rock from this part of the section indicates clearly that a sand stratum some feet in thickness intervenes between the limestone described in the last paragraph and the typical Miami oolite. From its first appearance in the canal the Miami oolite is continuous to the coast forming the country rock in this part of the section.

The relation of the Fort Thompson beds to the Miami Oolitic limestone was not determined owing to the lack of continuous exposures. The succession of deposits indicates alternating fresh water and marine conditions, but whether these conditions prevailed in this area previous to the deposition of the Miami oolite or subsequent to that time can be determined only by more detailed stratigraphic and paleontologic studies than have been made in this area.

STRUCTURAL CONDITIONS.

The formation in southern Florida west of the Everglades deviate somewhat from their original position by slight folding of the strata and by tilting of the land area. The minor folds of the Caloosahatchee formation have long been observed and frequently described. The folds in this formation are small and numerous. Their general direction is north to south or northwest to southeast. The Fort Thompson formation also presents minor folds, although less numerous, perhaps, than the Caloosahatchee formation. This is well seen in the banks of the canal crossing Lake Flirt. The limestone which stands as much as 5 feet above water level at the rapids passes below water level one or two miles above the rapids. This limestone, however, comes to the surface again at Coffee Mill Hammock about 8 miles east of Fort Thompson.

THE COFFEE MILL HAMMOCK ANTICLINE.

The ridge of rock cut through by the canal at Coffee Mill Hammock represents a small anticline which has a general north-south direction, and may be traced by the outcropping of rock at the surface for some miles. Lake Flirt occupies the shallow trough between this anticline and the Fort Thompson rock exposure which probably also represents a small anticline.

In the Everglades southeast of Lake Okeechobee along the North New River canal no evidence of folds are found, the rock lying horizontal or nearly so for a north-south distance of forty miles. Approaching the east border of the Everglades, however, particularly in that part of the canal which has a due east coarse, evidence of dip of the formations to the east is apparent. A general east dip is further indicated by the fact that flowing artesian wells are obtained at a comparatively shallow depth at Fort Lauderdale and at Miami on the Atlantic coast.

THE AGE OF THE UNDERLYING ROCKS OF FLORIDA AS SHOWN BY THE FORAMINIFERA OF WELL BORINGS.

JOSEPH A. CUSHMAN.

After the discovery of foraminifera indicating older formations than had hitherto been found in Florida in well borings sent to me through the U. S. Geological Survey* the State Geologist, Dr. E. H. Sellards, asked me to undertake a study of various well borings. It was hoped that a study of the foraminifera of these samples from different parts of the State would reveal the presence of beds of definite age and add to our knowledge of the geologic structure of the Florida peninsula.

In all there were submitted to me well samples from fifteen localities widely scattered over the State. While these localities represent a very small amount of data compared to the areal extent of Florida, they are so located that taken together they give a skeleton on which may later be built up a detailed geologic structure. The data for the various wells will be given and then they will be followed by a general interpretation of what the foraminifera have to show as to the age of the various rocks penetrated. First however a few cautions as to the use of well samples may not be out of place.

SPECIAL FIELD OF THE FORAMINIFERA.

In the process of well drilling the larger fossils are often ground into fragments too small to be of any value for specific determinations and therefore for determining definitely the age of the rocks penetrated. Of other groups likely to escape breakage the bryozoa and foraminifera are probably the only two found in quantity. Although ostracoda often escape damage by the drill they are not usually in great enough numbers in enough various horizons to be equal in value to the other two. Of the two groups

^{*}This material from the Bushnell well was sent me by the Florida Survey through the U. S. Geological Survey.

the bryozoa are much less liable to escape breakage. Many of the foraminifera are but a millimeter in diameter and enough of these remain intact so that most beds containing any number will give some identifiable specimens. The exception to this is the case of hard limestones where often the specimens do not become loosened and the whole may be ground into a mass containing nothing of value for determinations.

On the whole then the foraminifera are by far the best group for use in the study of well samples, from their small size, thus more often appearing in recognizable form and their relative abundance in so many of the members of all the formations of the Coastal Plain from the Lower Cretaceous to the Pleistocene.

There are however barren stretches in all formations where not even foraminifera occur, especially the shore sands of various ages and chemically deposited limestones like the oolitic formations. In addition to these the conditions of preservation may affect their usefulness. In certain beds greensands appear made up of the internal glauconitic casts of abundant foraminifera but not enough of the external characters remain for use in determination. Similarly in the older formations the changes made have left casts of silica or calcite which cannot be specifically determined.

Also in the case of those beds which have abundant foraminifera, enough is not yet known in regard to the foraminiferal faunas of various horizons to give a basis for close comparisons. This lack of information in regard to the Coastal Plain region is, however, being rapidly overcome and much unpublished data from my own work has been available for the present determinations.

Another difficulty, especially in the case of southern Florida, is that the formations were deposited under different ecological conditions from those of northern Florida and adjacent states where the faunas are best known. As will be shown later, the formations of the Oligocene and older formations represented in the wells of the extreme southern part of Florida are not to be closely correlated with formations of our southern states but with tropical America, the West Indies and Central America. Detailed work in those areas is as yet hardly begun, but the comparisons as far as they can be made, indicate that close correlations are possible.

SOURCES OF ERROR.

In the process of drilling a well unless a casing is put in as drilling proceeds there is great chance of error by material falling down from levels above that at which drilling is actually taking place. Thus there is a great source of possible error, and this will show itself by giving too great thickness to a bed from this reason. On the other hand, the drill may penetrate a formation some distance before recognizable fossils are discovered and the range of the formation placed too low. A check in both of these sources of error is the fact that no fossils can appear in the samples until the bed containing them is reached.

In the case of Florida and the Coastal Plain in general, wells penetrate the same formation but once as these rocks are not greatly folded or faulted. Therefore, when fossils of a younger formation keep reappearing after an older formation is penetrated, it is very safe to assume that they came from the upper levels and do not belong with the older formations. Such specimens in the case of larger species are apt to become of larger size and more perfect when they fall from the walls above than were the specimens from the same formation at the time the drill was penetrating that particular bed. This is especially true of the larger nummulites and orbitoids of the Oligocene and upper Eocene.

On the whole, with these various sources of error constantly in mind it is safe to assume that very accurate and reliable knowledge may be obtained from the careful study of well samples.

DATA FROM THE WELL SAMPLES.

The location of the fifteen areas from which well samples were studied from northwestern Florida to the Keys is as follows, the location being plotted in the accompanying map:

- I. Panama City, Washington County, 470 feet.
- 2. Bonheur Development Co., near Burns Station, Waukulla County, 2,153 feet.
 - 3. Jacksonville, Duval County, 980 feet.
 - 4. St. Augustine, St. Johns County, 1,440 feet.
 - 5. Anthony, Marion County, samples 50-500 feet.

- 6. Eustis, Lake County, samples from 100-180 feet.
- 7. Bushnell, Sumter County, samples from 380-3,080 feet.
- 8. Apopka, Orange County, samples from 50-390 feet.
- 9. Sanford, Seminole County, samples from 95-113 feet.
- 10. Cocoa, Brevard County, a sample from 190 feet.
- 11. Tiger Bay, Polk County, 770 feet.
- 12. Okeechobee, Okeechobee County, samples to 500 feet.
- 13. Boca Grande, Lee County.
- 14. Fort Myers, Lee County, 950 feet.
- 15. Marathon, Monroe County, 2,300 feet.

The well at Boca Grande was represented by a single sample that gives no definite information and is not further considered. Of the others, some are represented by but very few samples, others by samples of indefinite range, and others by very full detailed specimens. Thus the relative value is very different and each is considered separately. For convenience of reference the information is given in the order as indicated above. A brief summary of the probable stratigraphy is given with each well and the whole summarized in a general account later.

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WELL AT PANAMA CITY, FLORIDA.

Depth of well 470 feet. Samples are few and represent wide ranges and therefore are very unsatisfactory for detailed work.

- 30-60 feet. No foraminifera.
- 60-100 feet. Foraminifera very rare and poor.
- 100-200 feet. Foraminifera very rare and poor.
- 200-300 feet. Foraminifera small, numerous.
- 300-400 feet. Foraminifera few and poor.
- 400-470 feet. Represented by a single large specimen with casts of mollusca and Nummulites (?) indicating Eocene.

There is little use in trying to determine the stratigraphy from such poor data. There is a specimen of white hard material

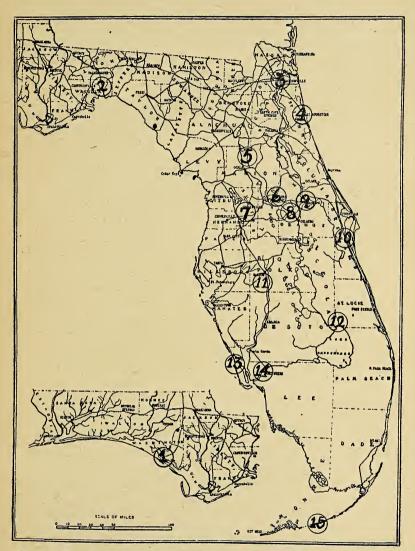


Fig. 2. Sketch map of Florida showing locations of wells. Wells numbered as in the text.

marked "300 feet up" in which Orbitolites occurs and may represent the Tampa formation of the upper Oligocene. Some of the smaller foraminifera of the sample marked "200-300 feet" resemble those of the Cooper Marl and similar age, while the rock specimen with a possible fragmentary cast of Nummulites (?) may represent upper Eocene also. With the lack of definite data little reliability should be placed upon the evidence.

WELL OF BONHEUR DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, BURNS, WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Depth of well 2,153 feet. Well begun as a 14-inch hole; three lines of casing put down; first casing 12 inches; second casing 8 inches to 700 feet; third, 5 inches to 1,502 feet.

The well starts in limestone of the Chattahoochee formation. Samples show the following results although there is evidence of mixing of material from above in spite of the casing which may not have been inserted as fast as drilling:

- 50 feet. Lepidocyclina fragments with suggestions of Operculina and Gypsina.
- 100 feet. A single crystalline fragment of a bit of the equatorial band of chambers of a Lepidocyclina.
- 150 feet, Fragments of Lepidocyclina, Operculina, Nummulites and Gypsina.
- 180 feet. Numerous, compressed, rounded, complex foraminifera but water-worn and changed to calcite showing little structure. Also casts of a Rotalia with an angled contour.
- 250 feet. Fragments of foraminifera of same forms as noted in various lavers above.
- Conical Orbitolina with other Lower Cretaceous forms with 325 feet. a few Rotalia from above, like those at 180 feet.
- 400 feet. Hard limestone. Little in the way of foraminifera, except small fragments.
- 580 feet. Numerous conical Orbitolina but perhaps of different species from those at 325 feet.
- 700 feet. Lepidocyclina, Nummulites, Gypsina, etc., all well preserved and evidently from near the top of the well.
- 920 feet. A single Orbitolina fragment.
- 940 feet. Numerous well preserved Nummulites, white with iron rust spots and a few crystallized specimens of Orbitolina. Both evidently from different layers higher up in the well.

950 feet. Similar, the Nummulites large, white except for rust spots and nearly whole. Certainly from near the top of the well.

980 feet. Similar to preceding.

1000 feet. Fragments of Nummulites, Lepidocyclina, Operculina with occasional conical Orbitolina. A mixture from higher levels.

1050 feet. Similar, mostly Nummulites and Orbitolina.

1135 feet. Similar but fragments of Operculina and Lepidocyclina in addition.

1150 feet. Similar to preceding.

1322 feet. Few foraminifera, not distinctive. Cristellaria added.

1400 feet. Similar but with fragments from higher levels.

1450 feet. A few fragmentary poorly preserved forms.

1500 feet. Light colored chalky material, occasional foraminifera, Cristellaria, etc., Orbitolina from above.

1559-1661 feet. Similar but with flinty chips at 1600 feet with large rusty iron flakes as though casing has been put down at this point or new drilling started.

1700-1800 feet. Light colored crystalline limestone with a few casts of foraminifera.

1800-1900 feet. Similar material with bluish fragments similar to some seen at 1450 feet, probably from above.

1900-1922 feet. Similar.

1922 feet. Mostly rusted iron flakes from casing.

1925-1993 feet. Similar to 1900 feet.

1995 feet. Hard compact crystalline limestone. No foraminifera.

2000-2100 feet. No indentifiable foraminifera.

2135-2153 feet. Peculiar fibrous oily material with light colored material from above.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

The intervals between the samples is rather wide and consequently detailed information is impossible.

The material at 50 feet suggests that the Chattahoochee has already been wholly penetrated and the Ocala reached. At 150 feet fragments of *Nummulites* appear and whole specimens at various depths below showing that the Eocene Nummulitic horizons appear somewhere below the Ocala, probably somewhere between the 150 and 50-foot levels.

At 180 feet the peculiar foraminifera are unfortunately crystallized with a loss of structure so the age cannot be determined. They indicate shallow water as they are clearly worn and rounded by water action.

At 325 feet the conical Orbitolinae indicate the Fredericksburg Series of the Lower Cretaceous as occurring at or somewhere above this level.

The 400-foot level is in the same hard limestone that occurs below the conical *Orbitolina* in other wells of Florida.

At 580 feet the large numbers of conical *Orbitolina* may indicate another bed of the Fredericksburg Series or the specimens may have come from the upper layer.

Below this level the Foraminifera are rare and usually represented by casts except those that have fallen from higher levels. No sign of the large, low forms of *Orbitolina* is found, although most of the material is finely ground by the drill and the samples are at comparatively wide intervals. The entire thickness below 325 feet may be all Lower Cretaceous and certainly cannot be younger.

NEW CITY WELL AT JACKSONVILLE, DUVAL COUNTY, FLORIDA.

A description of the samples from this well has already been published (Florida Geological Survey, Fifth Annual Report, 1913, pp. 177, 178). Depth of well 980 feet. Casing was put in to 500 feet.

0-510 feet. Throughout this distance the samples show no foraminifera.

510-550 feet. Lepidocyclina occurs but only in poor fragmentary specimens.

550-780 feet. Finely broken material with broken specimens of Lepidocyclina, Operculina, Nummulites, and Gypsina occurring apparently in in a mixed condition.

820-845 feet. Orbitolina of the conical form occurs.

845-900 feet. *Orbitolina* as above but in both cases with scattered fragments from the upper layers.

900-980 feet. Orbitolina of the large, low, concave form with the smaller conical form from above.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

The upper portion without foraminifera must depend on other data for solution of its age. The upper portion has been recorded

as Pleistocene with possibly some Pliocene, while at about 33 feet the Miocene begins and continues to a depth of at least 496 feet as given by older records.

At 510-550 feet is either Oligocene or the Upper Ocala indicated by the *Lepidocyclina* fragments and those of *Operculina*. These occur more frequently here and suggest that if, as is probable, they are from the Upper Ocala, this formation has somewhere near its usual forty feet of thickness at this point. The other scattered fragments below probably originated at this level.

Below 550 feet specimens of Nummulites occur, indicating an

Eocene horizon below the Ocala as noted elsewhere.

No definite new things appear until at 820-845 feet, where *Orbitolina* of the conical form appears, indicating that somewhere in this range the Lower Cretaceous of the Fredericksburg is entered. This is more clearly defined between 845 and 900 feet.

Somewhere between 900 and 980 feet the large, low forms of *Orbitolina* appear, indicating that a lower portion of the Fredericksburg appears or more likely that beds of the Trinity group are entered.

PONCE DE LEON WELL AT ST. AUGUSTINE, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

The description of the samples from this well is given earlier (Florida Geological Survey, Fifth Annual Report, 1913, pp. 195, 196). Depth of well 1,440 feet. Depth of casing unknown but probably not great.

As sent me, the samples cover but a few points in the depth

drilled but show certain significant facts:

160-200 feet. Few foraminifera, but Miocene indicated.

440 feet. Numerous conical *Orbitolina*. 785,830,1051 feet. All show the same *Orbitolina*.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

Although there are no samples between 200 and 440 feet, the Ocala must occur in this range as two fragments of *Lepidocyclina* were found in the sample from 995 feet evidently originating far above. According to determinations by Dr. W. H. Dall (U. S.

Geol. Surv. Bull. 84, p. 125, 1892) fossils of Vicksburg age [probably Upper Ocala] were observed at St. Augustine at a depth of 224 feet. This would fit into the gap in the samples I have had and would account for the *Lepidocyclina* already noted. This also coincides with the data from other adjacent areas.

There is no record of whether a horizon characterized by abundant thick *Nummulites* occurs here or not.

The Lower Cretaceous of Fredericksburg age is indicated by the sample from 440 feet and occurs below, but probably originated from about the same general level. How much above 440 feet the Lower Cretaceous extends cannot be determined, from lack of material.

According to the description of the samples, a dense, light brown limestone is encountered from 495-520 feet. This may be similar to the hard, brown limestone occurring below the conical *Orbitolina* at various places.

In the very limited material from below, none of the large, low forms of *Orbitolina* were met with but are in all probability there. Fossiliferous limestones are recorded in the descriptions from 1,293-1,390 feet but no samples from this range were available except at 1,351 feet, which had nothing of value.

The well records show that both the Ocala and the Lower Cretaceous are much nearer the surface here than at Jacksonville.

WELL OF CAMPAGNIE GENERALE DES PHOS. DE LA' FLORIDE, AT ANTHONY, MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Samples are available from depths between 50 and 500 feet. No records of the casing are available, but from the condition of the samples it must be very complete for at least the upper portion. Samples examined show the following:

50 feet. No Lepidocyclina but very abundant large Nummulites.

75 feet. Few Nummulites.

100 feet. Few Nummulites.

110 feet. Numerous small foraminifera-Miliolidae and Orbitolina.

130 feet. Mostly hard rock fragments. No foraminifera.

160 feet. Numerous Orbitolina, arenaceous Bulimina, etc. 200 feet. Abundant Orbitolina and like 160 feet.

260-500 feet. Hard brownish rock without identifiable foraminifera.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

As this well is known to start in the Ocala limestone, that formation with any surface overburden must have a total thickness of less than fifty feet. The horizon represented by large Nummulites at 50 feet is Eocene similar to that noted at other wells and coming in below the Ocala. The samples from 75 and 100 feet have a few of these Nummulites which have probably been carried down from the 50-foot level. At 110 feet the Lower Cretaceous is entered and apparently continues to at least 200 feet, below which from 260-500 feet is a hard, brownish limestone seen in other wells, and represents the Fredericksburg or older formations of the Lower Cretaceous.

The Upper Eocene from the records seems to rest upon the Lower Cretaceous as in other areas.

This is an especially important link in the evidence as confirming the suspicion noted in the discussion of the Tiger Bay well that the Ocala there is really only represented by the forty feet of strata above the abundantly occurring *Nummulites* and that the material apparently coming below of Ocala age really was derived from above. It would indicate that the Ocala limestone represented typically by the *Lepidocyclina* limestone about Ocala is usually but about 40 feet in thickness over a wide area and has not the great thickness that has been assigned to it.

WELL OF J. WIGGINS AT EUSTIS, LAKE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Depth 180 feet, depth of casing not recorded, samples from 100 to 180 feet.

The samples from 100, 109, 115 and 120 feet show no foraminifera.

138 feet. Foraminifera are numerous, mainly Miliolidae with some large Rotaliidae.

160 feet. Similar foraminifera, but with occasional specimens of *Orbitolina* of the high conical form.

170 feet. Similar with occasional large Nummulites.

180 feet. Similar but without Nummulites.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

As the upper 120 feet is not represented by samples, nothing definite can be given except that the occurrence of the large Nummulites at 170 feet is a clear indication that they came originally from somewhere above 138 feet. Above the nummulite horizon may be the Upper Ocala, but there are no traces of Lepidocyclina in any of the samples, so if the Ocala had been penetrated it must have been securely cased in and all the material removed before any of the samples below 100 feet were taken. The thickness of the Ocala, if it occurred, cannot have been very great.

The occurrence of *Orbitolina* and the group of smaller foraminifera characteristic of the Apopka well at levels of 115 feet show the slightly lower level of the Lower Cretaceous than further south.

WELL OF DUNDEE PETROLEUM COMPANY AT BUSHNELL, SUMTER COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Depth of well 3,080 feet. Depth of casing not recorded. Samples begin at 380- foot level.

Although the samples of this well represent every five or ten feet of the borings they are as a whole very disappointing in the information they give. From 380 to 500 feet the samples show a hard, granular limestone apparently equivalent to that from 260-500 feet in the well at Anthony. If this is the case, the Ocala and *Orbitolina* horizons of the Lower Cretaceous had already been penetrated before the 380-foot level where samples are available.

500-664 feet. Mostly hard, brownish limestone with no foraminifera.

684-867 feet. Granular limestone with variable amounts of dark flint chips.

No foraminifera.

890 feet. Same material with a fragment of Orbitolina.

900-1008 feet. Same material. No foraminifera.

1027 feet. Same material. Cast of foraminifera.

1281 feet. Large Rotaliidae, no Orbitolina, a brachiopod present. 1305 and 1334 feet. Similar.

1421 feet. Calcite crystals and white limestone. A few foraminifera.

1450 feet. White limestone and flinty chips. A few Rotaliidae.

1490 feet. Fine, sandy. No foraminifera.

1495-1575 feet. White or bluish limestone. Orbitolina.

1620-2250 feet. Compact limestone. Few poorly preserved foraminifera.

2250-3080 feet. Hard, grey or whitish limestones, occasionally with peculiar foraminiferal casts, appearing at various levels, evidently having been derived from around 2500 feet, where it is common.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

As already noted, the upper 380 feet which is not represented by samples, probably has the same sequence as in the wells in the same general region—that is, Ocala, at slight depth or wanting, then a Nummulite Eocene horizon, below which would come the *Orbitolina* horizon of the lower Cretaceous, Fredericksburg Series. Below this, at Anthony, is the hard, brownish limestone and it is in this series that the samples at Bushnell begin at 380 feet. At a little over 1,000 feet and perhaps much higher are the large, concave *Orbitolina* forms characteristic of the Trinity group of the Lower Cretaceous. The series for a considerable distance, perhaps throughout, is Lower Cretaceous although peculiar forms in the deepest thousand feet and especially beyond 2,500 feet may belong to other older series.

CITY WELLS AT APOPKA, ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Total depth represented by samples, 390 feet, depth of casing 117 feet.

The upper 114 feet of the well is represented by samples at the following depths: 50, 60, 103, 104, 106 and 114 feet. No foraminifera were found in any of these samples.

At 115 feet foraminifera begin to appear, the most common being the high forms of *Orbitolina*. Specimens of *Orbitolina* occur also at 145, 250, 310, 330, 380 and 390 feet showing that either they have come from between that depth and 115 feet or are found

at the level at which drilling was proceeding at that time. Other forms of foraminifera occur with the *Orbitolina*, but none which stratigraphically could not have occurred with it. At 230, 240 and 250 feet *Miliolidae* are frequent but are of types which may be of the same age as the *Orbitolina*. At 390 feet *Tritaxia* occurs with *Orbitolina* but as this genus is very characteristic of the Creta-

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

ceous and found in the Lower Cretaceous it affirms the age of the

The most striking fact of the upper part of the well is the apparent absence of *Lepidocyclina* limestone referable to either the Ocala or Vicksburg. In fact the genus *Lepidocyclina* is absent from the samples.

All the data from the samples at 115 feet and below indicate Comanchean Lower Cretaceous of the Fredericksburg group.

The whole data would seem to indicate that the Lower Cretaceous strata here come to within 115 feet of the surface and that they are directly overlain by strata probably of Miocene age. This may indicate that the Ocala was eroded from this particular area or that the area was above water at that time and was an area of erosion rather than deposition.

WELL OF L. E. MORROW, SANFORD, SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

A description of samples from this well has already been published (Florida Geological Survey, Fifth Annual Report, 1913, p. 219). There is record of the casing of the well to 100 feet.

The samples I have had are four in number, as follows:

95-100 feet. Water-worn fragments with black phosphatic pebbles and very few worn fragments of Lepidocyclina.

101-113 feet. Mostly calcite crystals.

Orbitolina.

113 feet. Typical Ocala. Lepidocyclina, Operculina and Heterostegina.

113 plus feet. Similar to the preceding.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

The occurrence of *Lepidocyclina* somewhere between 95 and 100 feet indicates Oligocene strata in this section.

The occurrence of typical Ocala species at 113 feet and below very clearly indicates this formation at that depth.

From the record at Apopka and at other points it is probable that the Ocala rests upon the Lower Cretaceous here.

WELL OF H. BRADFORD, AT COCOA, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA.

A single sample from 190 feet shows typical Ocala species.

WELL NO. 3 OF THE PALMETTO PHOSPHATE COM-PANY, NEAR PIT NO. 1 ABOUT 23/4 MILES NORTHWEST OF TIGER BAY, FLORIDA.

A description of samples from this well has already been published (Florida Geological Survey, Seventh Annual Report, 1915, pp. 49, 50).

The well was cased to a depth of 620 feet. Certain discrepancies between actual log records and apparent stratigraphic results are given below. The examination of samples gives the following results:

- 30-300 feet. No foraminifera.
 - 310 feet. Few poorly preserved foraminifera.
 - 330 feet. Small fragments of Lepidocyclina.
 - 337 feet. Small fragments of Lepidocyclina.
 - 350 feet. No Lepidocyclina noted.
- 360-400 feet. Abundant Lepidocyclina.
 - 410 feet. Abundant Lepidocyclina and abundant Nummulites.
 - 420 feet. Abundant Lepidocyclina and few Nummulites.
- 450-530 feet. Abundant Lepidocyclina and abundant Nummulites.
 - 535 feet. Abundant Lepidocyclina and numerous Nummulites.
 - 540 feet. Very few Lepidocyclina and numerous Nummulites.
 - 550 feet. Brown crystalline calcite and whitish material with numerous Orbitolina.
 - 560 feet. Mixed material evidently from above.

570 and 580 feet. Entirely composed of entire and partly broken specimens of Laganum (?) crustuloides (Morton).

590 feet. Mixture of various thing's from above.

600 feet. Similar to 570 and 580.

620-632 feet. Orbitolina mixed with things from higher levels.

640-770 feet. Abundant Orbitolina alone.

DISCREPANCIES IN THE RECORD.

In the thick series in the Ocala at 410 feet occur abundant thick Nummulites after 40 feet of the Ocala. This becomes less in the sample from 420 feet and then does not reappear in quantity until 535 and 540 feet, where the same species occurs. This resembles a species found in the Upper Eocene of Northern Florida and Southern Alabama apparently occurring just below the Ocala. this is correct the Ocala would be limited to the section from 360 to 400 feet and 40 feet thick, the other material below to 632 feet having fallen down or been drawn up from this section. This suggestion is here noted for further reference. It may be noted. in addition that the material is almost entirely of very coarse fragments or whole specimens from 450 to 530 feet, showing comparatively little effect of the drill. The material at 550 feet is finely cut by the drill and consists largely of the debris of the echinoid noted. At 570, 580 and 600 feet the samples are almost entirely made up of whole or only partially broken specimens of this species. These are too large to have well escaped the drill and with lack of fine material would seem to be material drawn from the sides of the well from 400 feet or above rather than from the various depths below. This is even more strongly indicated by the occurrence with them of numerous specimens of Orbitolina characteristic of the Lower Cretaceous and found in abundance alone in the samples below. It is still more strongly indicated by the occurrence at 590, 620, 623, 632 feet of a mixed material containing Lepidocyclina, Nummulites and Orbitolina and very evidently in large part formed of material derived from above 400 feet.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

Below 350 feet there is indicated at least 40 feet of Ocala Limestone equivalent to that found about Ocala. At 410 feet is a bed largely made up of thick *Nummulites* and of Upper Eocene age. From 550 feet to 770 feet the Comanchean Lower Cretaceous is clearly indicated, the upper part of which and perhaps all belongs to the Fredericksburg Series.

CITY WELL AT FORT MYERS, LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Depth of well 950 feet. Size 10 and 8 inches; casing 10 inches, 14 feet; 8 inches, 203 feet; principal water supply 875 feet.

A description of the samples from this well has been published (Florida Geological Survey, Seventh Annual Report, 1915, pp. 51, 52).

0-200 feet. No samples.

200-250 feet. No foraminifera.

280-680 feet. Few foraminifera at various levels.

720-760 feet. Numerous casts of Miliolidae including Peneroplis.

800 feet. Numerous casts of Miliolidae but without Peneroplis.

880 feet. Numerous casts of Polystomella.

900 feet. Similar to 720 feet. May have come originally from that level.

950 feet. Numerous casts of Rotaliidae.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

The foraminifera as a whole are very unsatisfactory, represented by rare, poorly preserved specimens in the upper levels and by internal casts in the lower ones. The latter are identifiable only to the genus at best.

The series from 280 to 680 feet may be referred to the Miocene, probably the lower Miocene, suggesting somewhat generally the Chipola, allowing for the difference in ecological conditions between the two widely separated areas. The series from 720-950 feet represent very shallow water conditions both from the genera of the foraminifera and the lithological character of the samples. At 900 feet considerable quartz sand is present. With such material and the geographical distance between these and the known surface deposits nothing more than a guess can be made. On this basis alone it is suggested that some of it may represent the Tampa formation of the Upper Oligocene.

There is an absence of any specimens or fragments of Lepido-

cyclina or other forms that would suggest the Ocala and an entire absence of *Nummulites*. Also there are no specimens of *Orbitolina* nor, traces of the brownish limestone associated with it. The inference thus may be drawn that no formations older than the Oligocene are represented here.

This lack of these formations is unexpected, for as the locality is nearly in a direct line between Bushnell, Tiger Bay and Marathon wells it might be expected to show both Ocala and Lower Cretaceous. Fort Myers is, however, somewhat to the west and if the general axis of the Florida peninsula is considered, is more to the west of that line than the other localities mentioned.

WELL OF THE OKEECHOBEE ICE AND ELECTRIC COM-PANY AT OKEECHOBEE, OKEECHOBEE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Depth of well 775 feet. Surface Pleistocene. Samples to 500 feet only. Casing, 150 feet of 10-inch, 307 feet of 8-inch, and 6-inch casing, amount not given.

41-56 feet. A very few foraminifera which suggests Pliocene.

56-62 feet. Broken specimens of little value.

65-81 feet. Rare broken specimens of little value.

87-500 feet. Specimens few and rare throughout but all are characteristically Miocene.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

As the surface material is Pleistocene this is evidently limited to the levels above 41 feet. The Pliocene also is limited in its thickness for the sample marked "87-94 feet" is evidently Miocene. The Miocene seems to continue to the 500-foot level at least.

From the log of the well the following occur according to Sellards, who examined the samples:

510 feet. White limestone rock with fragments of echinoderm spines.

608 feet. Chiefly sand.

615 feet. White limestone with many fossils.

775 feet. Limestone powdered fine by the drill.

WELL OF FLORIDA EAST COAST RAILWAY AT MARATHON, ON KEY VACA, MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Depth of well represented by samples 2,300 feet. The amount of casing used was 10-inch, 589 feet; 8-inch, 605 feet; 6-inch, 1,128 feet.

0-35 feet. No foraminifera.

35-78 feet. Few foraminifera. Pleistocene.

78-174 feet. No foraminifera.

180-412 feet. Scattered foraminifera. Miocene.

412-585 feet. Mostly quartz sands. No foraminifera.

589-628 feet. Orbitolites and Gypsina. Probably Tampa formation.

660 feet. Fragments of foraminifera-perhaps same.

682-755 feet. Hard limestone. No identifiable foraminifera.

786 feet. Amphistegina.

852 and 900 feet. Heterosteginoides. Unlike northern or central Florida. Cf. Panama.

984 feet. Lepidocyclina. Unlike northern or central Florida. Cf. Cuba.

1025-1115 feet. Hard limestones.

1210-1230 feet. Hard limestones.

1248 feet. Conical Orbitolina common.

1248-1318 feet. Orbitolina common, and at intervals to bottom of well.

1318-1328 feet. Flatter and larger specimens and at intervals to bottom of well.

1790 feet. Low, concave forms of Orbitolina and at intervals to bottom.

PROBABLE STRATIGRAPHY.

Pleistocene formations are indicated at least to 78 feet. The Pliocene is not definitely indicated although there is a barren stretch between the Pleistocene and the beginning of the Miocene which includes the series between 180 and 412 feet and probably at least part if not all of the quartz sands below 585 feet.

Oligocene begins as far as can be determined with the 589-foot sample to 628 and perhaps 660 feet. This seems to be of Tampa age.

At 852 and 900 feet the fossils no longer resemble those of northern and central Florida and there appears a genus I have described from the rocks of the Panama Canal Zone and found again in the Leeward Islands. This represents Middle Oligocene probably or the base of the Upper Oligocene: Below it at 984 feet

the first trace of Lepidocyclina appears and the Lower Oligocene. The species, however, is not like those of the Coastal Plain area, but is more like certain species of Cuba.

After a non-foraminiferal series of hard granular limestones conical Orbitolina is found at 1,248 feet and is scattered in the samples from this level down to the bottom of the well. Larger specimens occur than those found in central and northern Florida. This is evidently the Lower Cretaceous. From 1,318 feet occur large specimens with flatter tests and these in turn are scattered all the way down. At 1,740 feet and below are found the large species with the concave base representing probably the Trinity group of the Lower Cretaceous. Other Lower Cretaceous forms occur with the Orbitolina as in other wells.

GENERAL STRATIGRAPHY SHOWN BY THE WELL SAMPLES.

Two main groups of formations are the most easily determined when present from the abundance of their fossils. These are the Ocala limestone which is represented by several species of Lepidocyclina, Heterostegina and Operculina as well as smaller forms, and the Lower Cretaceous which is characterized by species of Orbitolina. In addition, below the Ocala is usually a horizon distinguished by an abundance of thick Nummulites.

The Ocala limestone, often termed Vicksburg in the older reports, has been shown by Cooke (U. S. Geol. Surv., Professional Paper 95-I, 1915) to be of upper Eocene age. There seem to be two facies at least of the Ocala in Florida, one that about Ocala the type locality where the most abundant fossiliferal genus is Lepidocyclina of several species without Orthophragmina. other facies is characterized especially by various species of Orthophragmina and in some areas by a large Lepidocyclina as well, but of a different species from those of the Ocala region.

In the Coastal Plain area there is a development of Nummulites of the form found in the well samples of Florida and representing probably the upper Claiborne. Its position in the wells is especially valuable as marking a level somewhat below the base of the Ocala.

The Lower Cretaceous is marked by various species but es-

pecially by two species of *Orbitolina*, one a small sharply conical species, the other a large depressed form with usually a concave base. Other species are present in some of the wells, but these two are especially important.

Outside these Florida wells the only region in America where the small sharply conical species is known is in the Quitman Mountains of Western Texas near the Rio Grande River about 80 miles southeast of El Paso. Here it characterizes a horizon of the Fredericksburg Series of the Lower Cretaceous and is very abundant in that horizon. A species which seems identical with this is found in the Lower Cretaceous of the Province of Navarra in northern Spain on the southern slope of the Pyrenees. The specimens from these three remote areas, Texas, Florida and Spain, seem to belong to one species or very closely related species. This then settles definitely the age of the beds in which this conical *Orbitolina* is found.

Below the Fredericksburg in the same section in the Quitman Mountains, according to Stanton (in Cragin, Bull. U. S. Geol. Survey, No. 266, pp. 28-32, 1905) in the Trinity group of the Lower Cretaceous there are horizons marked by enormous numbers of Orbitolina texana. This is a large, depressed form with a slightly concave base. The larger concave species which occurs in the Florida wells at some distance below the smaller conical species very closely resembles O. texana and is closely related to it if not identical. In Europe similar species occur in the Neocomian, which seems to be the equivalent of the Trinity of Texas. Other species occur in the Aptian beds of Switzerland where, according to Chapman it forms a more or less massive rock called the Orbitolina limestone. The Upper Greensand in Devonshire, England, contains a bed almost entirely made up of another species of Orbitolina.

The two forms of *Orbitolina* would alone appear sufficient to define the Lower Cretaceous of these two series, but there are also in the Florida material other genera which in various species characterize the Gault and earlier Lower Cretaceous beds of Europe.

With these groups clearly defined their distribution in the well samples becomes a matter of the discovery of the highest levels at which they appear in the well samples.

LOWER CRETACEOUS.

Except for the well at Panama City in the western part of the State and the three across southern Florida at Okeechobee, Fort Myers and Boca Grande, the conical form of Orbitolina is found in all the wells or probably would have been if samples from the right depths had been available. The wells where it is not found; at Bushnell because samples began at too low a level; and at Sanford and Cocoa the samples are only from the level of the Ocala and do not represent greater depths. The three wells across southern Florida would undoubtedly have shown this formation at deeper levels than those from which samples are available.

We may safely infer then that practically the whole of the peninsula of Florida and probably large areas of the submerged Floridian Plateau are underlain by limestones of the Lower Cretaceous at least as old as the Fredericksburg group. It seems also safe to assert that below these are other older beds of age corresponding to the Trinity or lowest group of the Lower Cretaceous. Still older horizons are indicated but until comparisons can be made with other areas, not at present available, the age of these is uncertain.

The position of the upper levels of the Lower Cretaceous as represented by the Fredericksburg can only be taken as the level at which the conical *Orbitolina* is first recognized. It may in places extend somewhat above this level but probably not to any great height. This level then can be determined. The level of the top of the well bore is not indicated in any instance but as a basis the height above sea-level of the town in which the well is located is taken. These are mostly given in the Fifth Annual Report of the Florida Survey. Assuming the height at Apopka as 150 feet above sea-level as the conical *Orbitolina* appears at 115 feet below the surface, the Lower Cretaceous beds here actually stand 35 feet above present sea-level.* Using the same data, at Eustis the Lower Cretaceous would be less than 100 feet below sea level and at Anthony 33 feet below sea level. In other localities it appears at St.

^{*}According to levels supplied by the Atlantic Coast Line Railway to the Florida Survey, received subsequent to the preparation of this manuscript, the level of the depot at Apopka is 125 feet above sea, and the well is reported by Mr. Hull who preserved the samples as being 8 or 10 feet above the depot.

Augustine at 400 feet, Jacksonville at 820-845 feet, Tiger Bay at 500 feet and Marathon 1,248 feet below present sea level. Allowing for an even rate, this would give a dip to the south from Apopka to Tiger Bay of approximately 9 feet to the mile. Similarly the dip northward from Apopka to St. Augustine about 6 feet per mile and from Anthony northeastward to St. Augustine also about 6 feet per mile. From St. Augustine to Jacksonville the dip is sharper if the data are correct and nearly 10 feet per mile. All these represent fairly uniform conditions and very gradual slopes in a low anticline with its center somewhere in the general region of Apopka. Owing to the absence of samples from the upper portion of the Bushnell well and the lack of deep samples from Sanford and Cocoa, the east and west dip of the Lower Cretaceous cannot be determined.

The time of the slight folding into the anticline is an interesting problem. The fact that the horizon of the conical *Orbitolina* is approximately the same as or parallel to the upper surface of the Lower Cretaceous would tend to show that unequal erosion which would have taken place if it occurred soon after deposition has not taken place to any great extent. The evidence furnished by later formations tends to support this view.

In this connection the following statement of Vaughan (Dept. Marine Biology, Carnegie Institution of Washington, Papers from the Tortugas Laboratory, Vol. 4, p. 181, 1910) in speaking of the origins of the Floridian Plateau seems to have been very close to the actual facts.

"The Plateau existed in Vicksburgian, Lower Oligocene, time [the Ocala now considered as Upper Eocene] projecting as a submarine platform from the southeastern corner of the continental shelf and extending at least to its present southern limit. The forces by which this older Oligocene [Upper Eocene] platform was formed at present can only be the subject of speculation. It was due to some fold of the ocean bottom, perhaps in some way connected with the angle of the Piedmont area in central Georgia."

UPPER CRETACEOUS.

It seems safe to make the statement that so far as the well samples examined show, there are no Upper Cretaceous strata now

present in any part of the Florida peninsular. This is a very sweeping statement for so large a region involved, but the Upper Cretaceous is characterized by Foraminifera which should be easily recognized between the *Orbitolina* bed and the Ocala if they occurred.

The absence of Upper Cretaceous strata may be explained by subsequent erosion or that this whole area was a land mass during Upper Cretaceous time.

It is known that in late Lower Cretaceous times various areas of North America were elevated. Further if as indicated by Barrell there was a raising, without folding, of the western Piedmont and Appalachian areas at least several hundred feet at this time such movement may have taken place in Florida. If this occurred at the end of the Lower Cretaceous and the area was above water during Upper Cretaceous time there could not have been very great elevation at any time or there would be more evidence of inequalities of the surface. It is possible that there was a low elevation during this entire period and during that time the upper series of the Lower Cretaceous represented by the Washita series of Texas may have been worn away.

If the entire series of the Cretaceous were deposited and then subsequently removed it would have involved considerable uplift and the structure would probably be different from that now indicated.

EOCENE.

In the well samples the earlier Eocene seems to be entirely lacking but the Claiborne seems to be represented at least in the region northward from Tiger Bay by the bed containing abundant thick *Nummulites* and the upper Eocene by the Ocala from Tiger Bay northward with the exception of the Apopka region. The Nummulite bed can be considered with the Ocala as it seems to be conformable with that when found.

The Ocala was not recognized in the well samples examined from south of Tiger Bay and the well at Marathon indicates that it may not have been developed in its typical form much south of the Tiger Bay region. The Ocala was developed in comparatively shallow water as its fauna indicates. At any rate, in the Marathon well on Key Vaca in southernmost Florida the Ocala is replaced by a foraminiferal fauna very much like that of the West Indian region at that time.

In the region northward from Tiger Bay the Ocala is present except about Apopka, where it was either eroded or not deposited, due to that area being at that time a land mass. If the Apopka region was an island during the deposition of the Ocala there should be evidence of this fact in the character of the Ocala as it approaches. From the fact that there is no evidence of the Lepidocyclina of Ocala age at Eustis, but as Nummulites of the lower bed do occur and as both are absent so far as seen at Apopka tends more to the idea that both have been eroded at Apopka than not deposited at all there.

Perhaps the most striking thing in connection with the Ocala is the finding that it is apparently only about 40 feet thick and that this thickness is very uniform. Various estimates in the literature give its probable thickness from two or three hundred to over a thousand feet. Some of the higher of these estimates were based on certain of the wells here considered. This thickness has undoubtedly come from the finding of the Ocala species through long series of well samples but represent simply specimens that have fallen from above. The limiting bed of thick *Nummulites* that lies developed just below the Ocala at Anthony and other places makes certain this greatly reduced thickness over previous estimates.

This erosion more probably took place when the area here and westward was above the water during a period probably late Oligocene and formed the area named by Vaughan (l. c. p. 182) "Orange Island." this area may have been an island in the Ocala sea.

The section between Apopka and Anthony passing through Eustis shows that there is apparently a slight syncline in the Lower Cretaceous in this place. This may tend to show that the Lower Cretaceous is not a simple great low anticline but that there may be numerous secondary minor flexures. This would indicate that there was at least some slight folding before the deposition of the Ocala. Also the known vertical distance between the Ocala and the underlying Lower Cretaceous ranges from around 60 feet at Anthony to 250 feet or more in some of the other wells. All these indications point toward an unequal level of the upper *Orbitolina* bed at the

time of the deposition of the Ocala limestone, assuming that the Orbitolina is limited to a single horizon.

However this may be, it is certain that after the Ocala had been deposited there has been a low anticlinal fold developed in the region in general similar to that already noted for the Lower Cretaceous. The present occurrence of the Ocala at the surface in west central Florida with dip toward the northeast, east, and south seems to indicate that there is a low anticlinal fold here extending to the part of the Florida Plateau to the west. This is further indicated by the high elevation of the *Orbitolina* level at Burns in Wakulla County to the northward of the present submerged portion of the plateau.

LOWER OLIGOCENE.

At Tiger Bay there are fragments of *Lepidocyclina* that may possibly of Lower Oligocene age but they are too poor to admit of specific determination and therefore the suggestion as to their age is not proven.

At Marathon the *Lepidocyclina* may be of either Lower Oligocene or Upper Eocene age but as it is not referable to any described species it is difficult to place it definitely. In the central and northern portions of the State the presence of Lower Oligocene in the well samples seems questionable.

MIDDLE AND UPPER OLIGOCENE.

The Tampa formation or its equivalent as characterized by Orbitolites floridana (Conrad) seems to be present in the well at Panama City, and at Marathon the two wells at the extremes of the State. Possibly some of the series in the Fort Myers well may be of this formation. Strata characterized by Orbitolites are widely distributed, occurring in Panama and at Anguilla in the Leeward Islands and in various parts of Florida. Except for the localities noted the well samples add little to the data on this formation.

MIOCENE.

From what can be learned from the well samples examined the Miocene deposits are of considerable thickness in southern Florida.

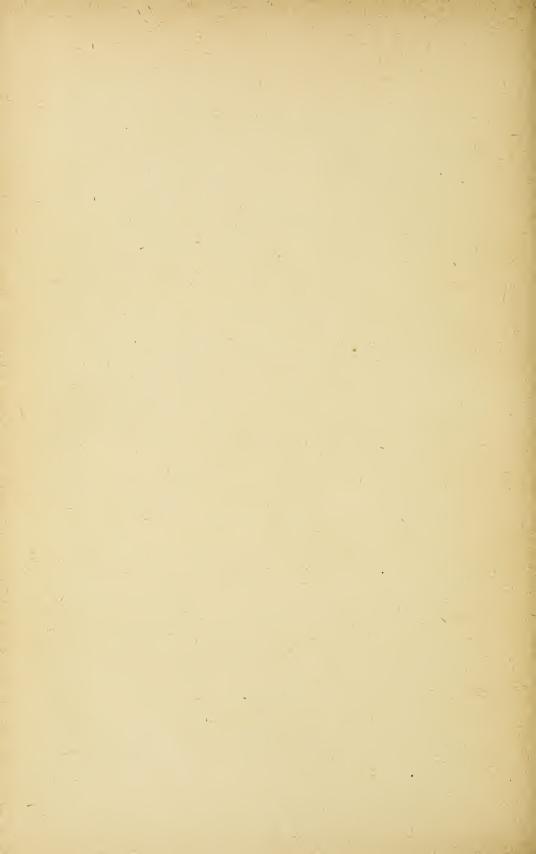
At Fort Myers 400 feet of the sediments are referred to the Miocene, at Okeechobee a slightly greater thickness and at Marathon nearly as much. This is based on the reference of these scattered foraminifera to the known Miocene of the northern part of Florida, perhaps not a safe comparison in consideration of the distance. However the Miocene of the Choctawhatchee Marl is similar in many respects and furnishes numerous species. The Jacksonville Miocene shows no Forantinifera but Miocene is indicated in the St. Augustine well.

PLIOCENE.

None of the wells give definite evidence of the presence of the Pliocene with the exception of Okeechobee, although this is probably present, especially in the southern part of the State between the Pleistocene and the Miocene. The fauna of the Caloosahatchee Marl is tropical in character and forms an excellent basis for comparison, but unfortunately little was found in the well samples to compare with it.

PLEISTOCENE.

The Pleistocene in the southern wells is indicated to some depth, 41 feet at Okeechobee and 78 feet at Marathon but little information is available from the other well samples.



REVIEW OF THE GEOLOGY OF FLORIDA

WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO STRUCTURAL CONDITIONS

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The First Annual Report of the Florida Geological Survey, issued in 1908, contains a brief sketch of the geology of Florida. In the same volume was included an account of the geological investigations that had been made in the State previous to the organization of the State Geological Survey, and also a bibliography of publications on Florida geology to the year 1907. In the present publication, the Twelfth Annual Report of the Survey, will be given a sketch of the geology of the State as understood at the present time, to which is added a supplement to the bibliography previously given. In the interpretation of the geologic problems of the State there is now available not only the investigations made by the Florida Geological Survey during the twelve years that have elapsed since the Survey was established, but also investigations by other organizations, among which in particular should be mentioned the U. S. Geological Survey through the division of Coastal Plains Geology. In addition there have been many individual scientists, as recorded in the bibliography, who have contributed to a knowledge of the geology of the State. It is a pleasure to acknowledge indebtedness to all these sources for information that has been used in this report.

It will not be the purpose in the present paper to present details that have been previously published in regard to formations, but rather to present general conclusions, and to give in particular the data that is available on structural conditions in the State. Of great value in this study is the report, on sub-structure based on well cuttings, made by Dr. J. A. Cushman, in this volume.

To those who have seen Florida but casually it may seem that the geology of the State is entirely obscured beneath the sand, soil and vegetation of the prevailingly level surface. But to those

who have looked more closely it is apparent that such is not the case. It is true that the problems of geology are made more difficult by the lack of frequent and continuous exposures, but they are not necessarily made impossible of solution. The numerous stream channels, railway and public road cuts, drainage canals, and drilled wells afford records from which the stratigraphic succession and structure of formations may, with patience and persistence, be worked out. Fortunately many of the formations of the State are richly fossiliferous. Nowhere else in the United States do the Tertiary and Quarternary formations contain a more abundant, more varied, or better preserved marine invertebrate fauna than in Florida. In this respect there is an embarrassment of riches. Dr. Dall in his study of the fossils of the Caloosahatchee marl, recognized in that formation alone the presence of more than 600 species of mollusks. Vertebrates, although as a rule not so wellpreserved as the invertebrates, are relatively numerous. No state east of the Mississippi, perhaps, contains so many Tertiary and Ouaternary vertebrates as does Florida. Fossil plants, although less abundant than either invertebrates or vertebrates, are not wanting. It is seldom the case that a single formation holds both land and marine fossils, yet, something of an insight into the interrelation of the marine invertebrates, land animals and land plants is secured in the Florida Miocene and again in the Florida Pleistocene. In the study of the fossils Florida is in many respects a State of exceptional opportunities.

TOPOGRAPHY

In topographic details and surface configuration Florida is by no means lacking in variety. In this respect the State presents much greater diversity than would have been anticipated in view of the fact that the maximum elevation within the State scarcely exceeds 300 feet above sea level. In the upland section of the State the intimate relation between topography and geology becomes apparent. The limestones under the influence of a heavy rainfall and an excess of humic acids in the ground water have dissolved rapidly, and when lying near the surface have produced a characteristic topography. The lowlands bordering the coast, on the other hand, have been but little affected by erosion, and in

these areas the surface is perhaps but slightly modified from its original condition. Of the land area of the State approximately one-half lies below the 50-foot contour line. This belt of land below the 50-foot contour includes all of the peninsula south of the northern end of Lake Okeechobee, and in addition, a strip of varying width bordering the Atlantic and the Gulf coasts. Aside from beach deposits and sand-dunes, this belt of country is prevailingly level. The surface deposits are usually sandy, although as will be subsequently indicated, limestones underlie considerable areas.

The higher lands of the interior of the State present for the most part topographic features that are difficult of description. owing to the apparent irregularity and lack of system of the hills and valleys. Over much of this area the topographic features are the result of the solution of the underlying calcareous deposits, and the prevailing surface configuration includes depressions or solution basins of varying size and depth, and hills of varying size and height. Within the area, the topography of which is controlled by underlying calcareous deposits, are two subdivisions which are worthy of special mention. These are the "sink-hole region" which lies chiefly along the west flank of the peninsula, and the "lake region." which lies for the most part near to or somewhat east of the center of the peninsula. In the sink hole region the limestones lie at no great depth. The sinks which form as a result of the solution of the limestones, thus allowing the covering to fall in, usually reach through when first formed, to permanent water level, thus forming small circular lakes. In the lake region the calcareous rocks are covered to a greater depth. The lakes are usually circular in outline and are deep with high banks.

In extreme Western Florida, including Escambia and Santa Rosa counties, the calcareous deposits are buried beneath the surface to such a depth as not to affect the topography. A similar region is found on the east bank of the Apalachicola River, including Gadsden and the northern part of Liberty counties. Under these conditions the topography is determined by the normal drainage courses.

ELEVATIONS

Only in thirty-one quadrangles in Florida have detailed topographic surveys been completed.* Each quadrangle includes an area of 15' of latitude and 15' of latitude, about 171/2x151/4 miles. The area, topographically surveyed, about 8,000 square miles, is, therefore, slight as compared to the whole area of the State, which is 54,861 square miles. Aside from these topographic surveys, bench marks have been established recording exact elevations at places throughout the State by the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survev, the U. S. Geological Survey, and the U. S. Army Engineers. In addition, many lines of approximate or working levels have been made in connection with the construction of railways, public roads, drainage canals, and other natural improvements. With the aid of this data the elevations in the greater part of the State may be determined within approximate limits. There are, however, very considerable areas the elevation of which is not so well determined as is desirable for both general and specific purposes. It is especially desirable that additional topographic maps be made. A complete record of bench marks established in Florida by the U. S. Geological Survey and the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey previous to 1911 will be found in Bulletin No. 516 of the reports of the U. S. Geological Survey. Of the bench marks established since that time, those in Jefferson, Leon and Gadsden counties are listed in the Ninth and Tenth Reports of the Florida Survey. In the Fifth Annual Report, pp. 81-101, was given a list of elevations at railway stations in Florida. In the present volume there is included a compilation made by Mr. H. Gunter, of all approximate and exact levels recorded within the State.

CLIMATE

The climatic conditions in the State are appreciably influenced by the proximity to oceanic waters. This is especially noticeable with regard to temperature, rainfall and humidity. The temperature is moderate, the rainfall moderately heavy and the humidity high.

^{*}Of this number a few quadrangles on the Georgia-Florida border are partly in Georgia.

TEMPERATURE

The mean annual temperature near the northern line of Florida is about 67° F., while at Key West, in extreme Southern Florida, the mean annual temperature is close to 77°. In the table included in the following paragraph is indicated the maximum and minimum recorded temperatures for a number of stations in the State.

RAINFALL

By far the greater part of the State lies within an area which receives between 48 and 57 inches annual rainfall. In extreme Southern Florida on the Keys is a small area in which the rainfall is much less, the average for the station at Key West being about 38 inches. On the other hand, a small area in extreme Western Florida and another along the South Atlantic Coast receive an annual rainfall approximating 60 inches. The average annual rainfall for the State as a whole is close to 54 inches. The rainfall is distributed irregularly throughout the year. The driest months are April and November, while the heaviest rainfall comes as a rule from June to September. In the following tables is given the mean annual rainfall for a number of stations in the State, and the mean annual rainfall by months for the State as a whole.

Table of Temperature and Rainfall. From Climatology of the United States, U. S. Weather Bureau, Bulletin Q, 1906.

	Temperature			Annual Rainfall		
ma	ximum	minimum	mean	maximum	minimum	mean
Archer	IOI	10	69	76.7	41.6	54.9
DeFuniak Springs	105	0	67	75.1	60.5	67.8
Fort Myers	94	24	73	82.7	40.2	55.1
Jacksonville	. 104	10	69	82.1	38.7	53.4
Key West	. 100	41	77	58.4	22.1	37.9
Miami	. 96	29	75	76.7	42.5	58.3
Pensacola	103	7	68	81.1	35.5	56.8
Tallahassee	97	_2	67	69	44.9	58.2
Tampa	96	19	72	67	42.1	53.1

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Table of Mean Annual Rainfall by Months. Tabulated from U. S. Weather Bureau, Climatological Data, Florida Section, 1916.

Mean Average Temperature	Mean	Average	Precipitation
January 58.4 degrees		3.11	inches
February 59.9 degrees		3.60	inches
March 65.4 degrees		3.15	inches
April 69.6 degrees	•	2.41	inches
May 75.8 degrees		4.00	inches
June 8o.o degrees		6.58	inches
July81.5 degrees		7.14	inches
August 81.4 degrees		7.55	inches
September 79.5 degrees		6.98	inches
October 73.0 degrees		4.09	inches
November 65.3 degrees		2.14	ınches
December 59.6 degrees		2.61	inches
Year 70.8 degrees		53.36	inches

Variation in rainfall is pronounced in Florida. This variation is due in part to normal seasonal variations, and in part to the influence of heavy tropical storms, especially those of the late summer and fall. These storms or hurricanes, which, fortunately, are not of frequent occurrence, usually result in a heavy precipitation in the belt of country through which they pass.

The maximum recorded precipitation for one year in Florida is probably that of 1912, at which time the average rainfall for the State was 64.88 inches (Climatology Report, 1912). The maximum for any one station during this exceptional year was 91.61 inches at Molino in Escambia county. The maximum recorded rainfall for any one month at a single station is 31.26 inches which is credited to August, although in July, 1916, the rainfall at Bonifay in Holmes county was 30.6 inches. The rainfall of a single storm lasting somewhat more than one day has been known to exceed 10 inches. The rainfall for a period of twenty-four hours is known to have been as much at a single station as 13.18 inches. This rainfall was at Jupiter and recorded in October. As much as 3.90 inches is recorded as having fallen in one hour at Tampa in August. (Climatological Data, Section 84.)

DRAINAGE.

The drainage conditions in Florida are in some respects exceptional. In that part of the State in which limestones are near the surface, especially on the upland limestone section of the interior, the drainage is largely subterranean, although much of the water that thus enters the earth reappear's through large springs which supply streams. In the limestone belt the rainfall enters the earth either directly through the surface materials or through disappearing streams which discharge their flow into the porous rocks. The subterranean drainage is best developed in that part of the State known as the "lime sink" region, where, aside from the main rivers, there are few or no surface streams. Partial subterranean drainage, however, is characteristic of a very much larger area, and for the State as a whole, the average for surface run-off is low.

The prevailingly level country over much of the State, together with porous soils, results in but limited surface wash. However, in the more hilly parts of the State the wash of roadbeds and soils under the influence of heavy rains is sometimes serious.

The streams of Florida for the most part have a slight gradient and are slow moving. The drainage of the westward extension of the State is through numerous streams, of which the Apalachicola is the largest, having a general north-south direction. The drainage basins of the peninsula are for the most part ill-defined. The St. Johns River, which flows north, and the Kissimmee River, which flows south, receive much of the drainage of the Atlantic slope. Entering the Gulf of Mexico from the western slope of the peninsula are a number of streams, among which are the Suwannee, Withlacoochee, Hillsboro and Caloosahatchee rivers.

GEOLOGY

Florida lies entirely within the Coastal Plains province, and the formations exposed at the surface are all of the Cenozoic period. The amount of limestone in Florida is relatively large; nevertheless, a very considerable quantity of sedimentary material, including sand, clay and flint pebbles, was carried to the south and included in some of the Florida formations. The progress made in

recent years in the study of the geology of Florida has made necessarv a number of changes in the classification of the formations of the State. Of the formation names formerly in use, one or two have been discarded, and on the other hand, several new names have been added. The classification which at present best represents our knowledge of the geology of the State is expressed in the following table. A recently discovered fact in regard to the geology of Florida is the presence of Comanchean formations forming the sub-structure of the peninsula and extending as far west at least as Tallahassee.* Scarcely less remarkable is the complete absence so far as any records yet obtained indicate of the Cretaceous formations (Upper Cretaceous). If any of these formations were present they were removed by erosion previous to the deposition of the late Eocene formations. Their absence in any case can be accounted for only by a long period previous to the late Eocene, during which the Florida land mass stood above water level. The earth structure by which this peninsular land mass was produced thus dates back at least into the Mesozoic era.

TABLE OF GEOLOGIC FORMATIONS IN FLORIDA

Pleistocene

Palm Beach Limestone Miami Oolitic Limestone Key Largo Limestone Key West Limestone Lostmans River Limestone Ft. Thompson Beds

Pliocene

Bone Valley Formation Alachua Formation Caloosahatchee Formation Nashua Formation

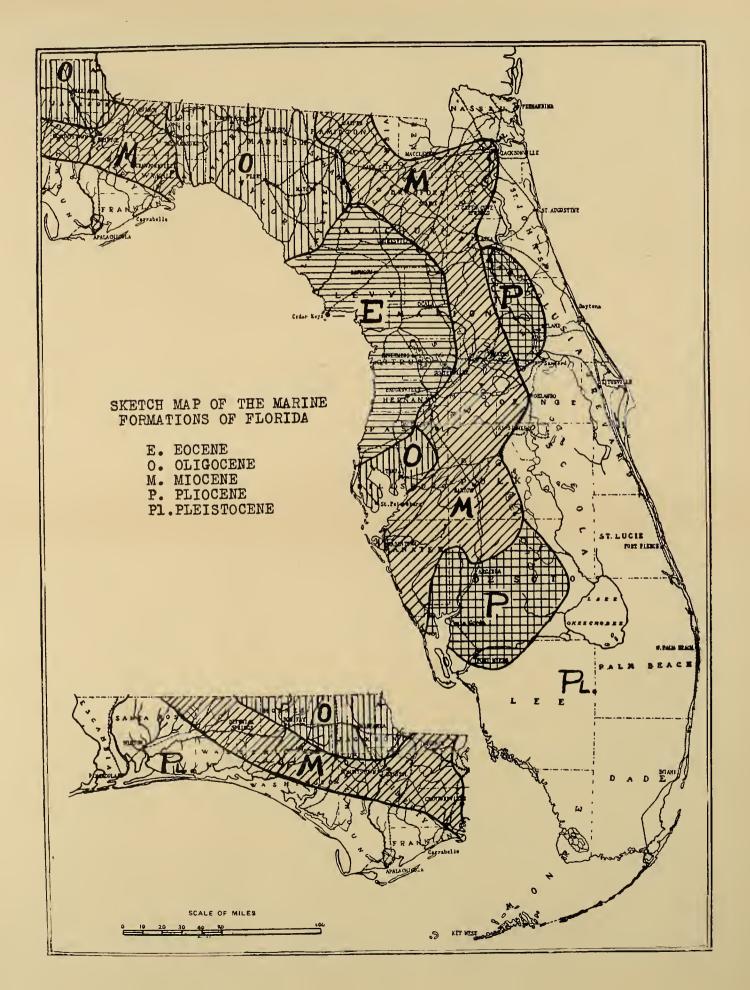
Miocene

Choctawhatchee Formation Jacksonville Formation Alum Bluff Formation

^{*}Cushman, Joseph, A., This volume.









Oligocene

Tampa Formation Chattahoochee Formation Vicksburg Formation

Eocene

Ocala Formation
Claiborne Formation
Cretaceous, not known in Florida
Comanchean, known only from well cuttings

STRATIGRAPHIC SUCCESSION

COMANCHEAN FORMATIONS.

The oldest formations that have been recognized in Florida are those encountered in well drilling and known at present only from well cuttings. The fossils found in these cuttings indicate the presence of Comanchean formations under all of the peninsula and a part, at least, of West Florida. The discussion of these formations, together with the data from which they have been determined, has been given by Dr. J. A. Cushman in the Twelfth Annual Report of the Florida Geological Survey. The thickness of the Comanchean underlying Florida has not been determined. The formations are chiefly limestone. The Cretaceous (Upper Cretaceous) is wanting in all deep wells of which record has been obtained.

EOCENE.

The Eocene deposits are represented in Florida by the Claiborne and Ocala formations. The Claiborne formation comes into Florida for only a short distance on the Choctawhatchee River, near the Georgia-Florida border. Where exposed on the Choctawhatchee River, this formation consists of a glauconitic calcareous sandrock, exposures of which are seen at intervals on the river banks for about one and two-third miles down stream from the Georgia-Florida line, beyond which it passes below the bed of the river. The thickness of this formation in Florida has not been determined. The Ocala formation as developed in Florida consists for the most part of very pure limestone. Fossils are abun-

dant, although many of the mollusks are preserved only as casts. The rock, as a rule, is granular and porous, although in places, by replacement, it has become close grained and compact. Masses and layers of flint, representing limestone replaced by silica, are of frequent occurrence in this formation. Aside from the flint masses, much of the rock consists of soft white limestone or marl. This formation is exposed to a limited extent on the Chipola River near Marianna, and also over a considerable area in central peninsular Florida. According to recent studies by Cushman, the thickness of the formation is very moderate, in places not exceeding 40 or 50 feet.

OLIGOCENE.

The Oligocene, as limited by recent investigations, includes in Florida only the Vicksburg, Chattahoochee and Tampa formations. The Ocala formation, which had been placed by Dall and others in the Oligocene, has been placed in the Eocene upon the evidence of the molluscan fauna as determined by Cooke.* The Alum Bluff formation, on the other hand, formerly referred to the upper Oligocene, has been placed in recent years in the Miocene on the evidence of the vertebrates and invertebrates.†

The Vicksburg formation consists of limestone lithologically not unlike those of the Ocala formation. Exposures of the Vicksburg formation are found in Florida near Marianna and Chipley, in Jackson and Washington counties. The Chattahoochee and Tampa formations which apparently are, in part at least, contemporaneous in deposition, constitute the upper part of the Oligocene as developed in Florida. The Chattahoochee formation is well exposed on the Chattahoochee River from the Georgia-Florida State line to Rock Bluff, a distance of about twelve miles. Another considerable belt of exposures of this formation is found extending from the Ocklocknee River to or somewhat east of the Suwannee

^{*}The age of the Ocala Limestone; U. S. Geological Survey, Prof. Paper 95, pp. 107-117, 1915, by C. W. Cooke.

[†]Fossil vertebrates from Florida; a new Miocene fauna; new Pliocene species; the Pleistocene fauna; Florida State Geological Survey, 8th Ann. Rept., pp. 77-119, 5pls., 1916. by E. H. Sellards. Santo Domingo Type Sections and Fossils, Bulletins Amer. Paleontology Vol. 5, No. 30. Correlation table, 1917. By Carlotta J. Maury.

River, and from the Georgia-Florida State line to the Gulf border. The formation as exposed on the Apalachicola River includes impure clayey limestones. A rather harder and perhaps more nearly pure limestone phase of the formation shows between the Ocklocknee and Suwannee Rivers. The Tampa formation is exposed on the Hillsboro River and on the Manatee River near Tampa. It is likewise a limestone varying in hardness and in purity. The thickness of the Oligocene in Florida is difficult to determine, since there are no surface exposures that afford a measurement of the combined thickness of the formations. The evidence from well records as to the thickness of these beds is at present too indefinite to be of service.

MIOCENE.

The Miocene of Florida includes the Alum Bluff, Tacksonville and Choctawhatchee formations. The Alum Bluff formation, formerly referred to the Oligocene, as already noted has been placed in the Miocene on the evidence of the vertebrate and invertebrate The materials of this formation include calcareous sands and sandstones varying to sandy limestones, calcareous clays, fullers earth clays and sands. The conditions under which the formation was deposited were evidently shallow water often in the presence of conflicting currents. This is especially true of the upper part of the formation, in which cross-bedding is not uncommon. Fossil plants are found in this formation at the type locality at Alum Bluff. At the fullers earth mines in Gadsden county there is found a limited, although extremely interesting land vertebrate fauna, associated with a shallow water invertebrate fauna. Farther to the west, on the Choctawhatchee and Yellow Rivers, the formation is more distinctly marine and contains an abundant marine invertebrate fauna. In the southern part of the State the deposits which are believed to represent the equivalent of the Alum Bluff formation are distinctly phosphatic. As there developed, the formation consists chiefly of marl beds in which is included black, brown and white phosphate pebble. Deposits found on Black Creek in Clay county and referred to the Jacksonville formation are lithologically very similar to the Alum Bluff formation as developed in South Florida, and contain similar phosphate pebble.

The Choctawhatchee formation is later in age and overlies the Alum Bluff formation. It is chiefly a loosely cemented shell marl, formed in shallow water and often quite sandy. The surface outcrop of this formation occupies a narrow belt extending in a general east-west direction from west of the Choctawhatchee to somewhat east of the Ocklocknee Rivers. In determining the thickness of the Miocene it is necessary to rely on well samples. At Jackson-ville the Miocene apparently extends from near the surface (about 33 feet) to possibly as deep as 500 feet, giving for the formations of this period a thickness approximating 450 feet. Probably at least 400 feet of the section of the well at Ft. Myers is likewise to be referred to the Miocene, while in the well at Okeechobee the Miocene approximates 400 feet in thickness.

PHOSPHATE IN THE MIOCENE.

Phosphate rock in considerable quantity appears for the first time in the Lower Miocene,* (Alum Bluff formation) the phosphates of both the Alachua and Bone Valley formations having been derived from this formation; the hard rock chiefly by chemical, the land pebble phosphate chiefly by mechanical segregation. While the processes of concentration to workable deposits can be reasonably well followed there remains the problem of the origin of the phosphate in the Alum Bluff formation itself. The Eocene and Oligocene formations of peninsular Florida, are calcareous, some of them being very pure limestones. During the Lower Miocene however, the conditions were changed to such an extent that very considerable quantities of land-derived sediments were carried into northern Florida. This change was perhaps gradual as the lower part of the Alum Bluff formation is more calcareous than the upper part. Likewise the Alum Bluff formation of south-

^{*}In samples from a well at Apopka, subsequently described, phosphate pebble is found to a depth of 220 feet. In the samples from this well Dr. Cushman finds foraminifera indicating the Comanchean at and below 115 feet. Whether the pebble phosphate belongs in the rock to this depth or has fallen from above remains to be determined. Elsewhere pebble phosphate is not present in the Comanchean.

[†]Sellards, E. H. Origin of the Hard Rock Phosphate Deposits of Florida, Florida State Geol. Surv., 5th, Ann. Rept., pp 23-66, 1913; The Pebble Phosphates of Florida, *ibib*, pp 25-116, 1915.

ern Florida is more calcareous than the same formation in Northern Florida. At Alum Bluff land plants are preserved in this formation, and in the fuller's earth mines are found land vertebrates. In south central Florida more or less marl is found in the Alum Bluff formation and in Southern Florida a deposit of marl of great thickness was accumulated during this time. It seems probable that the phosphates of the Alum Bluff formation, from which in later times were formed the workable phosphate beds of Florida, accumulated through chemical or biochemical processes in warm shallow seas in which was deposited the great marl bed of the formation.

PLIOCENE.

Four formations in Florida, more or less well differentiated. are referred to the Pliocene. These are the Nashua and Caloosahatchee marls, and the Bone Valley and Alachua formations. two first mentioned are marine formations. The Nashua marls are well developed on the St. Johns River in Putnam and Volusia counties. The Caloosahatchee marls find their typical development on the Caloosahatchee River. Both formations contain an abundant fauna of well preserved invertebrates. The Bone Valley formation which contains the workable pebble phosphate deposits is well developed in Polk and Hillsboro counties. This formation is evidently of shallow water origin and is in part at least estuarine. It represents material re-accumulated during Pliocene time, derived chiefly from the disintegration of the nearby Miocene de-The Alachua formation likewise represents a reworking of materials derived from the disintegration chiefly of the Miocene deposits, and to some extent also of the older formations on which this formation rests. The Alachua formation contains the workable deposits of hard rock phosphate. Both the Bone Valley and Alachua formations contain a vertebrate fauna on the basis of which the formations are referred to the Pliocene. The origin and characteristics of these two formations have been more fully described in the Fifth and Seventh Annual Reports of the Florida Survey. The Nashua and Caloosahatchee formations are described in the Second Report of the Survey. The Bone Valley formation rarely exceeds 100 feet in thickness and as a rule is less. The Alachua formation likewise is usually less than 100 feet in thickness. Both the Nashua and Caloosahatchee formations so far as known, are thin and may not exceed 50 or 100 feet.

PLEISTOCENE.

The Pleistocene formations of Florida include river, alluvial and marine deposits. Alluvial Pleistocene deposits are widely distributed over the State, especially in the stream valleys. In places these stream deposits contain vertebrate and invertebrate fossils. Among localities that have afforded important collections of vertebrates are Peace Creek, the Caloosahatchee River, and the drainage canals. At Vero in St. Lucie County a drainage canal cutting through a stream bed has afforded an especially interesting collecting locality for vertebrates, land and fresh water invertebrates and marine invertebrates. This locality has been fully described in the Eighth, Ninth and Tenth Annual Reports of the Survey.

The marine or chiefly marine Pleistocene deposits of the State have been described under the heading of Palm Beach Limestone, Miami Oolitic Limestone, Key Largo Limestone, Key West Limestone, Lostman's River Limestone, and Ft. Thompson beds. The five first named are all of marine origin. The Ft. Thompson beds include an alternation of fresh water and marine deposits. All of these deposits are found in southern Florida and the interrelation of the several named units remains to be determined on more detailed stratigraphic work than has as yet been done. The Ft. Thompson beds are described in a paper included in the present volume. The other limestones are described in detail in the Second Annual Report of this Survey.

GEOLOGIC SKETCH MAP.

The accompanying sketch map shows in a general way the surface distribution of the Florida formations. Owing to the small scale of the map it has been necessary to combine the formations. It is also impracticable to show limited exposures, such for instance as the exposures of the Ocala Eocene on the Chipola River near Marianna, or of the Claiborne Eocene on the Choctawhatchee River near the Georgia-Florida State line. Out-liers and remnants of some of the formations are omitted for the same reason.

Thus over both the Eocene and the Oligocene of peninsular Florida are found remnants of the Lower Miocene, indicating, probably the former extension of the Alum Bluff formation over the entire State. No attempt has been made to show the Alachua formation which rests chiefly upon the Eocene of Alachua, Levy, Marion and Citrus counties; nor the Bone Valley formation which rests upon the Miocene of Polk and Hillsboro counties. The alluvial Pleistocene deposits are likewise omitted from the map, and also the limited exposures of Pliocene (?) on the St. Mary's River.

STRUCTURAL CONDITIONS IN FLORIDA

WEST FLORIDA.

The structural conditions in that part of West Florida between the Choctawhatchee and Aucilla Rivers has been discussed in some detail in the Ninth, Tenth, and Eleventh Annual Reports. In those reports it is shown that a broad structurally high area centers between the Choctawhatchee and Apalachicola Rivers, the axis being nearer probably to the Choctawhatchee than to the Apalachicola River. It is also shown that a broad shallow syncline lies between the Apalachicola and Ocklocknee Rivers, the axis of the syncline having apparently a general northeast southwest direction. East of the Ocklocknee River was noted likewise a slight structurally high area not well defined. To this data Cushman has now added the identification of the Lower Cretaceous at the depth of 325 feet (or higher) in the well of the Bonheur Development Company in Wakulla County east of the Ocklocknee River. In a well near Panama City west of the Apalachicola River he finds fossils suggesting the Oligocene at 300 feet and more doubtfully the Eocene at 400 feet. The description of the samples from this well, which has not heretofore been published, is as follows:

Description of Samples from Well near Panama City, well located in N. W. 1/4, 23, T. 4 S., R 14 W.

1-30 feet. Chiefly sand with some shell fragments.

30-60 feet. Sample preserved as representative of this interval is a dark colored alum tasting clay, apparently the same clay exposed at Alum Bluff.

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60-100 feet. Chiefly gray sand marl. The sand grains are clear quartz held together by calcareous cement.

100-200 feet. Buff colored clayey marl, enough clay to become slippery when wet. One sample.

200-300 feet. Mixed sample including a greenish sandy marl and a light colored calcareous marl.

300-350 feet. Limestone.

350-400 feet. Gray clayey marl. One sample.

400 feet. Sample at 400 feet, is light colored limestone.

460 feet. Sample reported from 460 feet, is a smooth rounded black phosphate nodule. Probably dropped from above.

470 feet. Light colored limestone.

The samples from this well from 30-60 and 60-100 feet seem definitely to represent the Alum Bluff formation, which is thus unexpectelly near the surface at this place.

The depth to the Eocene limestone in extreme western Florida has not been determined. From the character of samples reported from the well of the Southern States Lumber Company between Muscogee and Cantonment in Escambia County, described as "green clay," it seems likely that the Eocene limestones there lie at a depth greater than 890 feet from the surface. The data regarding substructure in that part of the State, however, is too limited at present to be reliable.

PENINSULAR FLORIDA.

THE RELATION OF THE FLORIDA PENINSULA TO THE COASTAL PLAIN

An unusual structural feature in coastal plains geology is the great Floridian plateau which, projecting from the mainland, separates the Atlantic Ocean from the Gulf of Mexico. The time of origin of this plateau may not be determinable, although it is now known to have been in existence and to have formed a large shallow water area as early at least as the Lower Cretaceous or Comanchean period. Although affected by diastrophic agencies, including elevation and depression, this plateau has continued as a structural feature from the Comanchean or earlier to the present time.

STRUCTURE OF PENINSULAR FLORIDA.

For some years the Florida Geological Survey has been collecting well logs and well cuttings with special view to determining so far as practicable the structural conditions underlying peninsular Florida. This work has progressed slowly, although some data have now accumulated that have a very important bearing on this problem. Early in 1918 cuttings containing numerous foraminifera from a deep well then recently completed in Sumter County were sent to Dr. T. W. Vaughan of the U. S. Geological Survey, by whom they were referred to Dr. J. A. Cushman. Dr. Cushman's identification of the foraminifera of these samples led to the very unexpected result that they indicated the presence of Comanchean (Lower Cretaceous) formations. Subsequently Dr. Cushman undertook the identification for the Survey, of the foraminifera in the cutting from about fifteen wells in Florida. This work was completed early in 1919 and the report on the well samples is published herewith. In addition there are a number of other wells that from logs or partial sets of samples give approximate data of service in this study.

SKETCH MAP OF STRUCTURAL CONDITIONS IN FLORIDA.

Upon the basis of all data available at this time there has been constructed a sketch map which represents approximately what is known of structural conditions in the peninsular section of Florida. On this map there is indicated an area in the west central part of the peninsula, marked "A", in which the top of the Eocene limestones lie at or above sea level. The data for placing the eastern margin of this area are very limited and the boundaries are necessarily very roughly approximated. In the lake region of Clay County in particular it is possible that the Eocene limestones may lie closer to the surface than is here indicated. The following description of samples from two wells at Apopka within this area has not been published heretofore.

Record of the City well at Apopka, Florida. Drilled February 1915. Mr. Starbird, driller. Samples submitted by Mr. S. G. Hull. Casing rested at 117 feet.

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Depth of sample from surface.

50 feet. Brown sand medium fine.

60 feet. Light brown sand with slight mixture of clay.

115 feet. Broken shell rounded black phosphate nodules, and part of tooth of a ray.

140 and 150 feet. Greenish colored calcareous sands with black phosphate pebbles.

160 feet. Clayey calcareous sands with black phosphate pebbles.

170 feet. Light colored sandy marl with black phosphate pebble.

180 feet. Sandy marl with an abundance of black phosphate pebble and some coarse sand.

190 feet. Coarse calcareous sand or sandy marl.

200 feet. Coarse calcareous sand or marl and phosphate pebble.

210 feet. Soft light colored marl occasional phosphate pebble.

230 feet. Light colored limestone or marl, granular.

250 feet. Light colored limestone or marl, granular.

350 feet. Soft white limestone or marl. Sample discarded as some doubt about label.

380 feet. Soft white limestone or marl,

300 feet. Soft white limestone or marl.

Record of well used for City water supply at Apopka, drilled May-June, 1915. Driller Mr. Starbird, samples sent by Mr. S. G. Hull. Casing rested at 124 feet.

Depth of Samples.

60 feet. Blue calcareous clay.

70 feet. Very sandy shell marl; including phosphate pebble.

80 feet. Very sandy shell marl; including phosphate pebble.

85 feet. Very sandy shell marl; including phosphate pebble.

100 feet. Very sandy shell marl; including phosphate pebble.

103 feet. Coarse gray sand and gray fragments. Black phosphate pebbles.

104 feet. Coarse gray sand and gray fragments. Black phosphate pebbles.

These two samples which are identical are combined.

106 feet. Coarse sand, black phosphate pebbles and shell fragments.

114 feet. Light colored sandy marl with shell fragments, black phosphate pebbles.

122 feet. Light colored marl with shell fragments.

130 feet. Very light colored or white marl with some sand and shell fragments.

140 feet. Light colored marl with some phosphate pebble and shell fragments.

160 feet. Light or cream colored marl with phosphate pebble and some sand.

165 feet. Light cream colored marl with phosphate pebble and some sand.

170 feet. Light or cream colored marl with phosphate pebble and some sand.

175 feet. Light or cream colored marl with phosphate pebble and some sand.

180 feet. Very sandy calcareous material including phosphate pebble.

185 feet. Very sandy calcareous material including phosphate pebble.

194 feet. Very light colored soft lime rock including some sand.

220 feet. Very soft white lime rock or marl, including some black phosphate pebble.

230 feet. Lime rock breaking into small angular fragments.

240 feet. Lime rock breaking into small angular fragments.

250 feet. Light colored lime rock.

310 feet. Light colored lime rock.

330 feet. Light colored lime rock breaking into angular fragments.

333 feet. Lime rock breaking into somewhat coarse angular fragments.

336 feet. Lime rock breaking into somewhat coarse angular fragments.

SUMMARY OF RECORD.

I to 60 feet reported sand, clay or sand and clay, Sample not preserved. 60 feet, stratum of blue calcareous clay.

70 to 100 feet, gray very sandy shell marl, including phosphate pebble.

103 to 106 feet, coarse sand containing phosphate pebbles and some shell fragments.

114 to 220 feet, prevailingly light colored marl contains small phosphate pebbles.

230 to 336 feet, limestone rock which breaks into angular fragments suggestive in shape of small plates from echinoderms. This horizon is similar in lithology to that found at Tiger Bay at a depth of about 300 feet.

Interpretation: The interval from 60 to 115 feet is represented in the first well by two samples, and in the second by eight samples. A number of fossil shells have been obtained from these samples but the species not having been identified, the age of the formations remains undetermined. The interval from 140 to about 220 feet is represented by eight samples from the first well and nine samples from the second well. From the lithology of these samples the writer was inclined originally to refer this part of the section to the Alum Bluff formation. However, Dr. Cushman finds that these samples contain foraminifera which indicate that the formations are of Comanchean age. This is very unexpected, especially as the samples contain the pebble phosphate not elsewhere reported from the Comanchean formations. Below 115 feet, according to the fossils in samples submitted to Dr. Cushman is to be regarded as Comanchean (Lower Cretaceous). Addi-

tional samples should be obtained from wells in this section in order to determine more definitely both the lithology and the fossils of these formations. The casing in the two wells rests at 117 and 124 feet respectively. Nevertheless, it is not impossible that the phosphate pebble in the samples below 115 feet have fallen from above.

A second area is marked off on the map, B, in which generally speaking the top of the Eocene limestones appear to lie below sea level, but at no place in excess of 200 feet below sea. These two areas, it will be noted, make up together a broad belt extending across and occupying all of the north central part of the peninsula from the Gulf to the Atlantic coasts. The data on which this belt is mapped is derived in part from surface exposures and in part from well records. The upper course of the Suwannee River in Florida is known to lie in a structurally low area since in following the course of this stream it passes towards the Gulf onto successively older formations. Since in Hamilton County the Alum Bluff Miocene is exposed at elevations not exceeding 75 feet above sea it is surmised that the Eocene will be found in this general area to lie below sea level. From numerous wells drilled at Jacksonville it is known that the Eocene limestones there lie about 500 feet below sea level. On the other hand at Riverdale on the St. Johns River, about 35 miles south of Jacksonville. Eocene limestones are reached as indicated by well cuttings at about 211 feet below sea level; while at St. Augustine the Ocala Eocene on the authority of Dr. W. H. Dall is placed at a depth of 224 feet from the surface or about 214 feet below sea level.

In the well of Mr. Oliver Gibbs at Melbourne Beach, Eocene fossils were detected which from the log of the well appear to have come from the depth of 221 feet, the total depth of the well being 318 feet. At the intermediate points between Melbourne and St. Augustine on and near the coast the Eocene limestones lie so far as determined at a depth between 100 or somewhat less and 200 feet below sea level. This is true of wells at Cocoa, where Eocene fossils have been taken from a well the total depth of which does not exceed 190 feet; at New Smyrna, where the Eocene appears from well samples to have been reached at a depth of 105 feet from the surface; at Daytona where from well logs it would seem that the Eocene is somewhat shallower than at New Smyrna,

lying apparently at less than 100 feet from the surface. The depth to the Eocene has been determined approximately at a few inland towns in this area. At Sanford fossils of the Ocala formation have been identified by Cushman at the depth of 113 feet. The surface level at the old railway depot at Sanford is given as 20 feet above sea. The surface level at the well is not known but probably does not differ greatly from the level at the depot. The top surface of the Eocene, therefore, is probably somewhat less than 100 feet below sea level. At Orange Mills the limestones, probably Eocene have been reported at a depth of 130 feet, the surface elevation at this place being about 15 feet above sea level. A slightly increased depth to these limestones is suggested by well records at Hastings.

In the well of the Palmetto Phosphate Company in Polk County the top of the Ocala is placed by Cushman at 360 feet. The surface elevation at Ft. Meade is about 130 feet above sea. The elevation at the well being not greatly different from that at Ft. Meade, the actual level of the top surface of the Ocala formation in this well is probably between 200 and 235 feet below sea level.

The following is a description of a few samples received from a deep well drilled in 1915 for the city of New Smyrna. Samples submitted by F. A. Newell, City Clerk.

Record of Samples from City Well of New Smyrna.

Depth from the surface:

93 to 105 feet. Greenish, sandy, calcareous and phosphatic rock, some sharks teeth and fragments of shell.

105 feet. Sample containing a greenish rock and some fragments of white limestone.

105 feet. Pure white granular, porous limestone.

181 feet. Light colored granular limestone.

265 feet. Limestone, slightly brownish cast.

285 to 296 feet. Limestone, mostly light brown in color.

290 feet. Limestone, mostly light brown in color,

1022 feet. Brown limestone.

Interpretation: The sample representing material from 95 to 105 feet shows that the phosphatic and calcareous materials lying above the limestones extend to a depth of 105 feet, these samples appear to represent the Miocene, chiefly or entirely. From 105 feet to the bottom of the drill hole is limestone which varies in

color and in hardness. The brown limestone at the depth 1,022, of which only one sample was preserved, is not unlike that of other deep wells in peninsular Florida.

That part of the peninsula in which the Eocene formations so far as known lie at a depth of more than 200 feet below the sea level, includes a small area in the northeastern part of the State and the whole of extreme southern Florida as well as a coastal belt west of the Apalachicola River. The depth at which the Eocene is known more or less definitely, is indicated at several localities within this large area, although the data is as yet very limited. There is in particular complete lack of information as indicated by the question marks placed on the map in the southern part of the Lake Region where the older formations may be expected to lie rather close to the surface. The following description of samples from wells within this area has not been heretofore published.

Well samples from the well of the Okeechobee Company, Okeechobee, Florida. Well located on lot 5, block 134, approximately 34 feet above sea, and about 14 feet above the level of Lake Okeechobee; 10-inch pipe rested at 150 feet; 8-inch pipe rested at 307 feet; 6-inch below this level, amount of 6-inch casing not known.

0-2 feet, fine gray sand and soil.

2-12 feet, fine sand, chocolate colored some of it indurated with organic matter, ordinary hard pan.

12-15 feet, gray or slightly brownish indurated sand (not marl).

15-38 feet, gray sands.

38-41 feet, the sample preserved consists chiefly of black clay containing considerable sand, one fragment of shell, but aside from this no indication of marl.

41-56 feet, sandy shell marl, shells much broken.

56-62 feet, shell marl, pecten, barnacles, etc., marine shallow water marl.

62-65 feet, gray, sandy marl with broken shell similar to No. 6.

65-81 feet, coarse clear grain sand and broken shell. Ostrea, turritella, bryozoa.

81-87 feet, sandy marl with broken shell. Pecten.

87-94 feet, very sandy olive colored marl.

94-139 feet, light gray incoherent sand.

139-158 feet, light colored san'dy marl with shell fragments. Pecten. Occasional phosphate pebbles, black and shiny.

158-175 feet, olive green sand or very sandy marl.

175-212 feet, olive green clay with black smooth shiny pebbles, phosphatic.

212-240 feet, dark colored very sandy marl or calcareous sands, some broken shells.

240-245 feet, olive green very sandy and calcareous clays, or clayey sands.

245-276 feet, very sandy dark colored marl with shell fragments.

276-300 feet, calcareous and very sandy clay or clayey sand.

300-380 feet, dark colored sand, broken rock and shell fragments.

380-403 feet, very sandy dark colored marl, sand grains small.

403-458 feet, light colored sandy marls, some shell fragments.

458-468 feet, dark clay and broken shells.

468-500 feet, drab colored clay.

510 feet, white limestone rock with fragments of echinoderm spines.

608 feet, chiefly sand.

615 feet, white limestone with many fossils.

775 feet, limestone powdered fine by the drill.

The following is a record of the well of the Florida East Coast Railway Company drilled at Marathon on the Florida Keys in 1918. The well is cased as follows: 10-inch casing resting at 589 feet; 8-inch casing resting at 605 feet; 6-inch casing extended to 1,128 feet.

Depth of sample from surface.

At the surface, coraline limestone, very hard.

35-179 feet. Represented by nineteen samples. All hard limestone, mostly finely powdered by the drill.

108-274 feet. Two samples. Very fine white sand, containing well rounded small grains of the mineral Ilmenite.

305-409 feet. Four samples. Sand, medium coarse, slightly greenish in color, includes small amounts of clay.

412-425 feet. Very coarse sand, including some phosphate pebble. Two samples.

427-428 feet. Two samples. Coarse siliceous pebbles, including much pebble phosphate.

429-471 feet. Four samples. Medium coarse sand, greenish in color.

427-480 feet. Two samples. Coarse sand including clay balls.

571-584 feet. Medium coarse sand, mostly greenish in color, contains some clay fragments and some phosphate pebble. Seven samples.

584-589 feet. Coarse sand with phosphate pebble. Three samples.

593 feet. Porous white limestone, fossils preserved as casts.

598 feet. Coarse sand including phosphate pebble. The material of this sample probably fell from above as the 10 inch casing had not yet been set.

601-1790 feet. Numerous samples. Limestones.

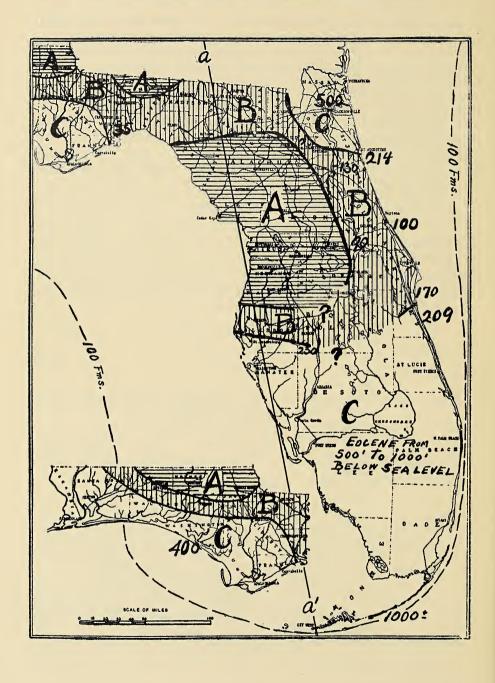


Fig. 3. Sketch map to indicate general structural conditions in Florida. A. Belt of country in which the Eocene formations, when present, lie above sea level, mostly from sea level to as much as about 100 feet above. B. Eocene formations' below sea level; for the most part between 0 and 200 feet below. Doubtful territory for both belts A and B is indicated by a question mark. C. Eocene formations probably more than 200 feet below sea level, varying from 200 feet to a maximum, so far as known, of about 1000 feet in the southern part of the peninsula. Figures entered in the map record approximate depth to the top surface of the Eocene, usually the Ocala formation. The margins of the Floridian land mass are approximately coincident with the 100 fathom contour, the location of which is indicated on the map. The axis of the land mass is approximately indicated by the line a-a'.

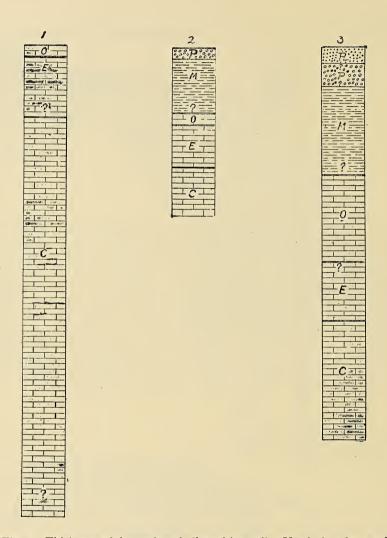


Fig. 4. Thickness of formations indicated by wells. Vertical scale, one inch equals 400 feet. No. 1. Well of Bonheur Development Company, Wakulla County, depth, 2153 feet. No. 2. Well of Palmetto Phosphate Company, Tiger Bay, Polk County, depth, 770 feet. No. 3. Well of Florida East Coast Railway, Marathon, Monroe County, depth, 2300 feet. C, Comanchean; E, Eocene; O, Oligocene; M, Miocene; P, Pliocene; Pl, Pleistocene.

Interpretation: The limestone at the surface is the Key Largo Coraline limestone, Pleistocene. The sands containing phosphate pebble and some clay and extending in this well to a depth of 585 feet are referred to the Miocene. The limestones below 589 feet, according to Cushman, contain foraminifera indicating the Oligocene, and at and below 1,248 feet the Comanchean. The Eocene may be represented, although no identifiable foraminifera were obtained from the Eocene. The Pliocene likewise may be present, although not indicated by fossils.

ASYMMETRY OF THE FLORIDIAN PLATEAU.

The actual position and extent of this plateau, as has been shown by Smith, Vaughan, and others,* is strikingly different to that which appears from the inspection of an ordinary map of the land areas. The 100-fathom contour may be taken as the approximate margin of the plateau, since the slope to this line is for the most part gradual while beyond this contour the slope is rapid, and in places, especially toward the south end of the peninsula, is abrupt. Taking this 100-fathom contour as the margin it will be found that scarcely one-half of the plateau is above water, and that the greater part of that which is above water lies to the east of the north-south axis. With regard to elevation the plateau is therefore asymmetrical, the eastern half being higher, mostly above sea level, than the western half which is almost wholly submerged. This lack of symmetry is apparently due in particular to a tilting or warping of the peninsula toward the west, by which the coast of West Florida has been depressed as far south as Hernando County, while the east coast including all of the southern tip of the peninsula, has been slightly elevated.

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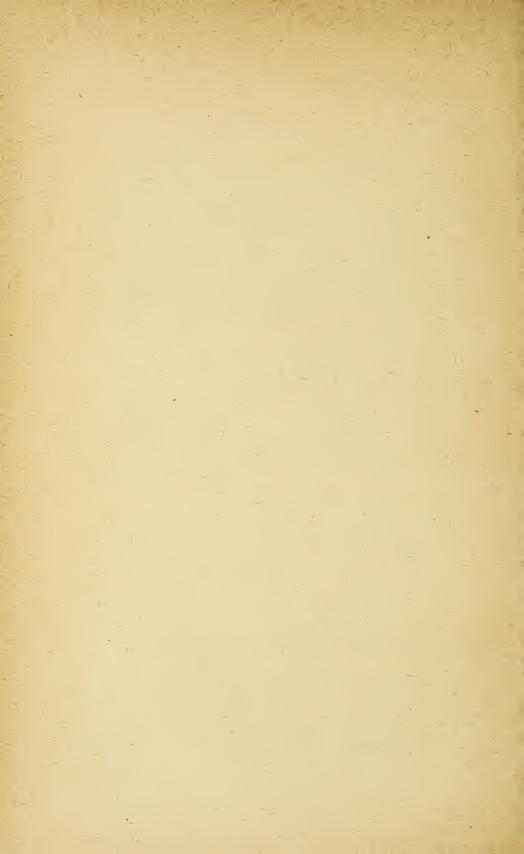
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